HOLD GIRL FORGER SUSPECT

Declaring her innocence with trembling lips and flashing, tear-dimmed eyes, Ethel Kimball Wilson, a bride of four months, to-day stood in the Brighton District Court, charged with the forgery and passing of a check for $30.

The stylish dress of the beautiful young prisoner and the charm of her appearance made a distinct impression on the crowd that jammed the courtroom. Mrs. Frank E. Kimball, the girl's mother, greeted the girl with lavish affection. The mother asserted her confidence in her daughter and said that if the truth ever came out another would be in her place.

The daughter of a once wealthy contractor and horse owner, Ethel Kimball Wilson, has been in the limelight before—always in connection with the hiring of horses to drive or ride. She is an accomplished horse woman. Her love for horseflesh at times, it is said, overcomes her discretion.

Goes Back to Jail Cell.

After the evidence was in Judge Barnard held the young woman in $1,000 bail for trial. The bail was not furnished and she was returned to the Charles Street Jail, where she has been since her arrest two days ago.

Young Mrs. Wilson looks to be about twenty-two years of age. She is a brunette, with glowing black hair and gleaming black eyes. She is of medium height and well-moulded figure. To-day she was dressed in a fetching gown of black and white. Her hat was of brown felt trimmed in brown pongee silk. At her throat was a white chiffon tie, while she carried on her arm a greenish gray raincoat. She wore high-top resort shoes.

When her mother, who is of youthful appearance, arrived in court, she ran to her daughter, threw her arms about her neck and kissed her affectionately. The two women sat near the judge's desk as the case proceeded.

The check that it is alleged the girl forged had the name of John Haskell signed to it. It was sent in an envelope by her husband, James Wilson, who got some money on the check, after which it was sent to the Shawmut Bank. It was returned as no good.

Husband on Stand.

William Murphy, the proprietor of the Brighton Hotel, said that the check had been cashed by his orders. He sent it to the bank and got it back. William Coss, his manager, testified that he cashed the check.

James Wilson, the husband, with whom his young wife lived two months only of the four that have passed since the wedding, took the stand. Judge Barnard questioned him.

"Are you the husband of the prisoner?"

"I am," was his reply.

"Well," said the judge, "as the husband of the prisoner I want to tell you that you are not obliged to testify against her. Do you understand that?"

"Yes, I understand."

Then Wilson went on to say:

"I got the check in a letter. I was invited to me. The writing on the envelope and the writing on the check were in my wife's hand."

Testimony Stricken Out.

In spite of the husband's apparent eagerness to help, Judge Barnard interposed and had this testimony stricken out.

Policeman Michael Muldoon, who arrested Mrs. Wilson said that he had been informed that the check was forged, was on the check, and could not find any such name.

"When I arrested the woman," he said, "she denied all knowledge of the check, but admitted writing the name of her husband on the envelope."

The prisoner's lawyer tried to get this testimony out on the ground that the policeman had no right to interview the prisoner on something that might incriminate her. It was allowed, however.

When the clerk called Mrs. Wilson to the bar she rose slowly, then with an effort she pulled herself together, and stepping in front of the judge, faced him calmly.

"You are held in $1,000 bail for the action of the Grand Jury," was the judge's judgment.

"Revenge," Says Mother.

Mrs. Kimball wept as she left her daughter. To a reporter of the AMERICAN Mrs. Kimball said:

"My poor, dear Ethel! She is innocent. This is a case of revenge. I am only too anxious that the case get into the higher court and then she will be freed.

"She never did a wrong thing. When the truth is known another will be standing in her shoes.

"My daughter has been married four months. She has not seen any happiness by three months. Her heart is broken.

"My daughter said to me to-day: 'Mother, this has broken my heart. I can never face my friends again.' No matter how this thing comes out, none of my friends will believe that I did this. God knows that I am innocent of the charge."

Mrs. Kimball said that she would not be able to get the bail necessary to liberate her daughter.

SYNOD HELD AT CATHEDRAL

700 PRIESTS RENEW VOWS TO THE CHURCH

Archbishop O'Connell, who presided at Synod held at Cathedral this morning. Photographed at the Cathedral to-day by R. W. Sears, for the BOSTON AMERICAN.

For the first time in twenty-three years a Synod of the clergy of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of New England was held to-day at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, Boston.

Archbishop William H. O'Connell, clad in the robes of his high office, presided.

Seven hundred clergymen of the Roman Catholic Church, from every secular and religious order and coming from every parish in New England were present. The executive session of the Synod was held in secret, none but the clergy being admitted to the Cathedral.

Most important were the deliberations of this great body of clergymen, presided over as they were by the Archbishop, for it dealt with the laws governing the conduct of the archdiocese of New England.

Considers Changes in Laws.

While the Synod could not consider the actual doctrines or dogma of Catholicism, it made changes in the laws governing the membership of the church in New England, and what laws were taken up and modified will be made public through the regular proper channels.

An organ recital by James T. Whelan, organist of the cathedral, and selections sung by the regular Cathedral choir, occupied from 8:30 until 9 o'clock this morning.

At 9 o'clock the clergy and all gathered and were seated. Archbishop O'Connell, attended by priests, ascended the high altar, where the prelate celebrated a low mass.

Apostolic in its simplicity was this ceremony and those succeeding. There was none of the pomp and ritual, the traditional robing of the celebrating clergy, the solemn processional—nothing but the simple, almost inaudible mass.

Seated at the sides of the altar in stations becoming their associated dignity were the bishops and monsignori of the archdiocese, while in the body of the church sat the seven hundred secular and religious orders.

Every Parish Represented.

Every parish in New England was represented, there being left but one priest in each parish to-day because of emergencies requiring their presence.

Following the low mass Archbishop O'Connell recited his profession of faith in the doctrines of religion of the Roman Catholic Church. This, too, was a most solemn and primal ceremony.

Then the seven hundred clergymen present renewed their priestly vows and vows of allegiance to the Church of Rome.

The Synod to-day was the fourth held in the diocese. The procession of the clergy shortly before 9 o'clock moved from the lower to the upper church within the building in the following order: All orders of clergy, such religious and secular, curates and pastors, young and old; representatives of the Orientals, Italians, Portuguese, Syrians, Lithuanians, Poles and tiermans, the priests of each specific organized by Archbishop O'Connell; the synodical examiners, the diocesan consultors, the monsignori in purple robes, the two chancellors general, the master of ceremonies and the archbishop.

Vested With Sacred Robes.

The clergy filing to their seats the Archbishop arrived at the sanctuary and knelt in prayer, and was then vested in his sacred robes for the day.

The low mass was the last of the Holy Ghost and red vestments were worn. During the entering of the clergy Organist James P. Whelan recited church music.

Following the celebration of the mass the archbishop was vested in red and mitre and solemnly opened the Synod.

The officers of the Synod were as follows: Very Revs. G. J. Patterson and J. G. Anderson, secretary; Rev. M. J. Splaine, chancellor of the archdiocese; judges, Rt. Revs. D. J. Cunnion and A. J. Wynne; master of ceremonies, Revs. James O'Connell and Charles Sullivan.

The following diocesan officers were on hand to-day: Vicar general, Monsignor J. Patterson and J. G. Anderson; chancellor, Rev. M. J. Splaine, D. D.; secretary, Rev. James P. E. O'Connell; diocesan consultors, Rt. Rev. John Brady and Revs. John Perkins, D. J. A. Farrell, Michael Hurley, Cygald, J. E. Millerick and E. J. Moriarty; synodical examiners, Rt. Rev. William Byrne and Revs. John W. McMahon, R. J. Sullivan, Leo J. Knappe, John B. Peterson and M. J. Splaine; defender of the marriage bond, Rev. John B. Peterson; diocesan attorney, Rev. Leo J. Knappe.

Then the archbishop pronounced the synodical ceremony and promulgated the decrees.

A cablegram was read from Papal Secretary of State Merry del Val bestowing the Pope's blessing on the synod. This was followed by the formal adjourning of the great body of the priesthood.

"Father John's Medicine Cured Me of a severe cold that threatened consumption." Mrs. J. Short, 200 West 125th St., N. Y. C. Apr.4.

NO FIGHTING IN CONVENTION ---REDMOND

John E. Redmond, M. P., chairman of the Irish party, who presided at the national convention in Dublin, in a cable message received from him to-day, declares that the statements that great disorder prevailed in the convention, and that clergymen, members of Parliament and others grappled each other by the collars and engaged in hand-to-hand struggles, are absolutely false.

When the announcement was made in the papers the offices of the United Irish League of America, feeling assured that the statements were without foundation, cabled their substance to Mr. Redmond, and the following answer was received from him by National Secretary John O'Callaghan:

Dublin, Feb. 11, 1909.

John O'Callaghan,

United Irish League, Boston:

Greatest convention ever held in Ireland, practical unanimity in support of party. Nation's thanks voted to America for generous support. Cables to America suggesting that disorder occurred participated in by clergymen, members of Parliament or others absolutely false. No violence of any sort. Written refused hearing by delegates of nothing more. JOHN REDMOND.

COUNTED OUT SAYS PETTITI

Charging to-day before the legislative committee on constitutional amendments that he was robbed of election to the House of Representatives, and declaring that the present Australian system of voting leaves an open way to fraud upon the part of election officers, Jerome A. Pettiti of Ward 6 urged the adoption by the State of voting machines for the election of all officials.

"I myself," declared Mr. Pettiti, "saw election officers in their booths changing ballots and rendering void the intent of the voter by the use of lead pencil stubs."

12 MONTHS IN JAIL SAILOR'S SENTENCE

Declaring there is too much drunkenness and fighting done by sailors in Boston, Judge Fly in the Boston Police Court to-day made an example of Frank Williams, a sailor. Williams was charged with drunkenness and attacking Patrolman Jeremiah Murphy of the Dorchester street station. He was sentenced to twelve months in jail.

RUN OVER BY CAR; LOSES RIGHT LEG

Frederick Cochran, twenty-seven years old, was struck by a Bough's Neck car in Quincy last night. The car passed over his right leg. He was taken to the Quincy Hospital, where his leg was amputated. The accident occurred after midnight on Sea street, near Palmer. The lights were out, and Cochran did not see the approaching car.

FIRE IN FACTORY

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ROOSEVELT IS REBUKED IN SENATE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—President Roosevelt is given a sharp rebuke in the report of the subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Appropriations, which was presented to the Senate to-day. Senator Hemenway, chairman of the subcommittee, in presenting the report, stated that the last Congress appropriated $32,000,000, which is available either directly or indirectly for protecting the Government against frauds and violations of the law. It could hardly be charged that the amendment to the Sundry Civil Bill, which affected the transfer and detail of sixty-five men, was made in an attempt to protect criminals, when the same Congress that adopted this amendment appropriated nearly $5,000,000 more than was ever appropriated before.

Near the conclusion of its report the subcommittee rebukes the President in the following language:

"If the amendment to the sundry civil bill for the current year 1909 has operated as a restraint upon the use of secret service employes, such restraint is so technical and limited in character that it does not appear sufficient to warrant the imputation of the motives of Congress in adopting the amendment.

"The scope of the work of the secret service division of the treasury department might be enlarged so as to enable it to investigate violations of law under the jurisdiction of that department, but to give it authority to conduct all governmental investigations, would, in the opinion of your committee, be very unwise and result in much conflict and friction between the various departments.

"It has never been the intention of any Congress to build up a spy system of that character."

THOUSANDS IN NEW ORLEANS GREET TAFT

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 11.—President-elect Taft and his party were transferred from the cruisers North Carolina and Montana to the lighthouse tender Magnolia and early to-day were taken to the scout cruiser Birmingham, which brought them to New Orleans.

The streets of the city swarmed with people. Two thousand members of military and civic organizations were in the line of march and met the Taft party at the landing. They paraded through the principal streets to the city hall, where Mayor Behrman delivered an address of welcome.

Taft was then taken to his hotel to rest until he is driven to the carnival ball of the Elves of Oberon, this evening.

Frank H. Hitchcock is expected to-night, accompanied by F. W. Upham of Chicago, Colonel Goethals is a member of the Taft party.

A synopsis of the entertainment to be submitted to Taft by wireless and he replied that he was in the hands of the reception committee.

DIES AT HOME OF FIANCEE

LYNN, Feb. 11.—Death ended the romance of Harvey W. Wells, a prominent resident of this city, who died to-day in the home of his sweetheart, where he was stricken with meningitis while visiting her two weeks ago. He was to have married Miss May Foote of No. 118 Marblehead street in June next.

Miss Foote nursed her fiance with the utmost devotion until the end came early to-day. She is prostrated by grief.

BEAT WOMAN AND ROB HER

As the result of allowing two strange youths to show her the way to the Brookline street railway station at 1 o'clock this morning, Miss Mabel McKinnon of No. 564 Commercial street, Boston, was attacked and robbed in a dark Cambridge street. She lost her handbag containing $3.50, she told the Cambridge police to-day.

Miss McKinnon said she went to North Cambridge junction on the wrong car, and asked the young men the way to Brookline street. They accompanied her, and when in a dark locality beat her about the face, snatched her bag and ran.

TAFT, JR., JOINS SOCIETY.

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 11.—Robert A. Taft, son of the President-elect, was chosen for membership in the Phi Beta Kappa Society of Yale to-day.

Under the personal direction of District Attorney John J. Higgins, the best police and detective talent in the employ of the State officers, to-day began the completion of their evidence in the Kelleher poison mystery for presentation to the March grand jury. They will ask for one or more indictments.

That this evidence will show that poison was found in the four bodies exhumed is unofficially admitted. There were six mysteries deaths in the family, but no more bodies, it is stated, will be exhumed.

When District-Attorney Higgins was asked to-day what was being done in the case he replied:

"We are pursuing the investigation with vigor."

That is all he would say. While he has not yet received the full and official report of Professor Whitney on the examination of the viscera of the three latest bodies exhumed, it is known that he has been kept well informed as to the progress of the analysis.

A police official in close touch with the case, who did not wish his name used, revealed the program of procedure decided upon by the District Attorney.

First, the case is to be presented to the grand jury. Evidence of a startling character will be turned over to that body early in March.

To Ask Lunacy Commission.

Second, the District Attorney will then ask for a lunacy commission to examine Mrs. Mary Kelleher, who is locked up in the East Cambridge jail, charged with arson.

Third, should it be found that Mrs. Kelleher is sane, her case will be considered by the Criminal Council of the grand jury's action.

This is what the police official mentioned had to say to a reporter about the case:

"We have received instructions to go ahead and complete the case. We have got a strong case. It has been found in the four bodies that were exhumed. We are positive in the case of Catherine Kelleher, the twelve-yearold daughter of Mary Kelleher, that there was poison. If Mary Kelleher is sane or insane, the case must be brought before the Grand Jury.

"The number of indictments will be asked on the evidence presented. After the finding of the Grand Jury a lunacy commission will be asked to consider the condition of Mary Kelleher. She is now under arrest, charged with arson, and her mental condition will have to be passed on regardless of what the Grand Jury does."

Medical Examiner Wilfred D. Swan was evasive when seen to-day by a reporter.

Mrs. Kelleher "All Right."

"Will the renewed activity in the Kelleher case cause any further exhumation of bodies?"

"I think not."

"Have you received any orders to disinter the other two bodies?"

"No."

"Have you got the official report of Professor Whitney on examination of the viscera of the last three bodies exhumed?"

"No."

"One of the attaches of the East Cambridge jail was asked to-day about the condition of Mary Kelleher.

"She is well and all right," was the response.

"Does she appear nervous?"

"Not now," was the reply. "When she first came here she had nothing to do and was nervous. Now she works every day. She takes up her sewing and she seems to be in pretty fair shape. She is employed in the sewing room."

Michael H. Tarton, who knows Mrs. Kelleher well, and with whom she left Cambridge with Arthur Thomas, after the death of Catherine, when seen to-day, said this to say:

"Never Received a Nickel."

"I know that a great many people, including some of the relatives of Mrs. Kelleher, think that I either have some of the money she received from the insurance companies here or had nothing to do with the money from the Higgins estate, but that's all wrong. Mrs. Kelleher never received a nickel from the Higgins estate and she seems to be in pretty fair shape. She is employed in the sewing room."

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PRESSMEN ENJOY FIRST SMOKER

The Boston American Pressmen's Chapel smoker was the best and most enjoyable smoker of the year held at Elks' Hall, Hayward place. Among the entertainers were Dick Walsh, Al Sayles, Billy Hennessey, "Bob" Garland of the delivery department, Joseph Cahill, Eagles, Charles Judge Sisson, "Joe" Denney, Charles Lambert and Jack Ashley. Short talks, songs and recitations were also addressed by Ex-International President Walsh, Frank Flynn, John J. O'Hare, F. W. Gordon and R. H. Kelley. E. F. Cleary was master of ceremonies.

MRS. LONGWORTH A UNION MEMBER

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Feb. 11.—Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, when she handles the firewood in the laying of the cornerstone of the new postoffice ceremonies to-morrow, will be a full-fledged union woman and a member of the Grand Rapids Bricklayers and Stonemasons' Union No. 1. President Sweetman of the local union has called a meeting of the union for to-night to vote on Mrs. Longworth's admittance as an honorary life member.

SEEK KELLEHER INDICTMENTS

VERY LATEST NEWS

EXPLOSION AND BLAZE IN SOMERVILLE PLANT

One man was badly burned in a fire that destroyed a two-story frame building this afternoon on Somerville avenue, Somerville, opposite Porter's Station.

The fire started immediately after there was a loud explosion. The flames leaped through the building and there was a rush of people from the place. One man was caught in the flames and was severely burned about the face and hands. He was taken to the hospital.

It was said that a barrel of varnish had exploded. The inflammable material in the building gave the fire great headway in a few minutes.

The noise of the explosion and the smoke and flame that rolled up from the burning structure attracted a great crowd to the scene.

It was reported that others in the building narrowly escaped serious injury when the varnish went up in a flash.

RACE WAR STIRS OHIO TOWN.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 11.—Coke Otte, a village six miles north of Hamilton, was the scene of a threatened race riot to-day following fatal shooting of Garfield Sales, a negro, by Constable Simpson, a white man. Negroes, armed with axes, guns, scoured the village crying for revenge on Simpson.

WIFE DRANK AND USED DRUGS, SAYS NAVY MAN IN SUIT FOR DIVORCE

Charging that his wife was addicted to the excessive use of liquors and drugs, and that she was intoxicated on the honeymoon, Lieutenant Clarence A. Abele, U. S. N., to-day testified in support of his suit for divorce in the Superior Court at Dedham.

Mrs. Abele, who is a noted navy belle, was in court with her mother, and took copious notes as her husband, from whom she has been separated during the last of their seven years of married life, made his allegations against her. She had apparently expected the testimony and did not seem deeply moved.

Abele is now stationed at Bridgeport as an inspector of naval ordnance and is visiting for a few days in Quincy. He is thirty-three years of age and a native of Boston.

Daughter of an Admiral.

His wife is the daughter of Rear Admiral Henry N. Manney, retired, and it was at a ball in New York about the battleship Massachusetts, of which he was in command, that the couple first met, in 1900. They were married October 9, 1902, in New York, and lived in Philadelphia, Porto Rico, Santiago and San Francisco. They separated at Santiago, Cal.

Questioned by Attorney Ralph W. Hall, Mrs. Abele testified as follows:

Q.—When did you first discover her under the influence of liquor? A.—The day of our return from our honeymoon. There was a reception given in the Massachusetts to the officers. When we left the ship she was under the influence of liquor. I had to assist her home. She staggered and was incoherent in her talking. I remonstrated with her, but to no avail. In Calabria, Porto Rico, she had whiskey in the house and she continued to use it daily after day in spite of my efforts to stop her. On two occasions she stayed out until a very late hour, coming home falling incoherently. At Indian Head, Maryland, she was under the influence of liquor day after day, night after night. I have

Feared Injury on Ride.

Q.—How did she behave during these spells? A.—She would yell at the top of her voice, throw furniture around the room and throw various articles at me. Her actions were such that I have had to leave the house and spend hours tramping around the parade grounds at night, so that she would quiet down. On one occasion she went horseback riding with her hair down over her face. When I saw her horse when she was coming home I was afraid of injury that I was afraid she would meet with an accident.

34 TEAMSTERS IN COURT ARE FINED

The cases of thirty-five teamsters, charged with violations of the traffic regulations, were heard by Judge Ely in the Municipal Criminal Court to-day. Thirty-four of them were fined $5, and one case was placed on file.

17 INDICTMENTS IN FEDERAL COURT

The Federal Grand Jury, in a special session to-day, returned seventeen indictments, three of which were secret. The names of three of those indicted, James A. Kennedy, charged with the postoffice burglaries; Albert A. Sisson, a former postoffice clerk, who was charged with receiving stolen goods, and Abraham Goldsmith, a Russian professor, charged with sending objectionable letters.

MANY ADVERSE REPORTS

The Committee on Street Railways to-day voted adversely on petitions that street railways maintain reserved spaces in highways, that the Boston Elevated Railway Company provide suitable exits from its subway stations, and for the transportation of military supplies over street railways.

GIRL AT PHONE BRAVES FLAMES TO SAVE LIVES

CHICAGO, Feb. 11—Miss May Donnelly, a night telephone operator, proved herself a heroine early today in a fire which destroyed a freight house of the Wabash Railroad, causing a loss of nearly half a million.

While the flames raged about her Miss Donnelly remained at the switchboard notifying the different employes in the yards of the fire until she was overcome by smoke. Clerks found her unconscious in front of the switchboard and carried her to a place of safety, where she was revived.

DIES OF FALL DOWNSTAIRS.

Michael Lorden fell downstairs at his home, No. 1096 Northampton street, today, and died of injuries soon afterward at the City Hospital. He was sixty-five years old and married. Policemen who investigated the cause of death say his fall was an accident.

GIN FOR THE KIDNEYS

Although gin is one of the oldest known remedies for kidney and bladder troubles it never created such a sensation among the profession until recently, when its use in the formula given below came to be generally recognized and prescribed.

The formula is as follows: "Good pure gin, six ounces; half-ounce fluid extract Buchu; half-ounce Murax compound; mix and shake well each time and take in doses of one or two teaspoonfuls after meals."

Murax Compound is a product of the Standard Chemical Co. laboratories in Chicago, but it, as well as the other ingredients, can be had of any druggist.

This is said to be the most effective combination known for the quick relief of kidney and bladder disorders, backache, rheumatic pains, painful, scanty and frequent urination, nervous debility, etc.

TODAY'S CABLE NEWS

From All the World Up to 5 O'clock, London Time

Famed Escorial Ruined by Fire.

MADRID—Fire completely destroyed the Royal College of Maria Cristina in the Escorial, causing the loss of numerous valuable works of art and menacing with destruction the historic building itself. The fire, the origin of which is at present unknown, started on the ground floor of the college, which is a school for boys of the aristocracy, conducted by the Augustine Fathers, and soon ate its way to the upper floors. Within a short time the roof and the three floors fell in with a loud crash and the flames rapidly gutted the building.

Why Spain Quit Cuba.

MADRID—Correspondence between General Blanco, who preceded Weller as Captain-General of Cuba, and Premier Sagasta of Spain, published now for the first time shows that one of the reasons—perhaps the strongest of all—why Sagasta decided to relinquish Cuba and make peace with the United States was the fear that the Americans would attack the coast of Spain and encourage the revolutionary element in that kingdom.

Princess Engagement Revived.

NAPLES, Feb. 11.—The rumors that the engagement between Princess Patricia of Connaught and the Count of Turin, cousin of King Victor Emmanuel and brother of the Duke of the Abruzzi, has been resumed are revived today by the Mattino. This betrothal was suspended, it is said, because of the opposition of King Edward, who was also opposed to her marriage upon the efforts of the Duke of the Abruzzi to wed Miss Katherine Elkins.

Suffragettes Threaten Raid.

LONDON—The fighting suffragettes say they will raid Parliament on February 16 when the King's speech is read if they are not granted "votes" for women. They claim to have fifty young women trained as housebreakers to ride against the troops which they are sure will be called out to foil the plot.

Mrs. Asquith Won By a Stepmother.

LONDON—Mrs. Asquith, the wife of the Premier, has given another proof of her tact by sending a handsome silver mug to the youngster who occupies the curious position of being the son of her (Mrs. Asquith's) stepmother by a second husband. The mother of the child also occupies the dual role of being the Dowager Lady Tennant and Mrs. Geoffrey Lubbock.

Mrs. Asquith was a Miss Tennant and her father, Sir David Tennant, when an old man and a widower, married a young and very poor girl on the golf links at St. Andrew's, proposed to her after three days' acquaintance and married her within the month. He died in 1905, leaving the young Dowager Lady Tennant and a child.

A year ago the Dowager Lady Tennant married a young man, Geoffrey Lubbock. She has just presented him with a son and Mrs. Asquith as a love token has presented the baby with a silver mug.

Nitikin Death Investigation.

ODESSA—An investigation was begun today into the death of Captain Nitikin, stabbed while in command of a vessel. His court-martial to be hanged for having preached sedition among the enlisted men. Captain White was found dead in his cell. It is generally believed that he committed suicide and that he had a confederate among the prison officials.

Two Lost in Ship Wreck.

BARI, Italy, Feb. 11—The captain and the sailor were lost in the wreck of the fishing smack Jolando and Margherita off here today. The other ten members of the crew were rescued.

New Blow at Duelling

ROME—A further blow at the prevalence of duelling in all ranks of life in Italy has been struck in the exemption from the recent royal pardon decree of all prisoners held on that charge. Minister of Pardon and Justice Orlando is said to have urged the exemption and the anti-duelling society has voted him its thanks.

American Auto Victim.

PARIS—An automobile, occupied by an American named Gutmann, met with an accident today at Fleury, in the environs of Paris, and Gutmann was thrown out. He is said to be dying.

No Money No War Minister.

SOFIA—General Zolkewitch, the Bulgarian Minister of War, has resigned because the extra credits he desired for military purposes were not granted by the Sobranje. His resignation has not yet been accepted.

Turbines for Cruiser.

LONDON—The admiralty has decided to experiment with an American turbine engine, and the cruiser Bristol, which is now under construction on the Clyde, is to be fitted with engines of that type.

Marconi Knows Sinns.

LONDON—Jack Binns, the wireless operator on board the White Star steamship Republic, attended the offices of the Marconi Wireless Company and was presented by William Marconi, on behalf of himself and his fellow directors, with a gold watch in recognition of his courage and devotion on the occasion of the loss of the Republic.

Armours to Feed King's Army.

LONDON—The War Office has contracted with Armour & Co. for the supplies of canned corned beef, which will be put up under the supervision of British army officers. The contract is for three years. The first delivery, consisting of between half a million and a million pounds, is to be made during the coming summer.

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SPECIAL 19c DINNER—Fish Chowder, Boiled Penobscot Salmon, Peas, Cream Sauce, or Roast Rump of Beef, Dish Gravy, Potatoes, Bread and Butter, Coffee Ice Cream or choice of Pie or Pudding, cup of Tea or Coffee 19c

6½c INSERTION 3c—French and German Val. Edgings and Insertion, assorted widths and patterns. 6½c value, per yard 3c

60c HASSOCKS 39c—Large sizes, several different colors and patterns. 60c value 29c

From 12 to 1 O'Clock

$2.00 CHILDREN'S SHOES 75c—500 pairs of Children's K. C. Skuffer Shoes, button and lace. Sizes 6 to 12. $2.00 value, one hour 75c

90c LACE CURTAINS 33c—Scotch Lace Curtains, choice pattern. 90c value, per pair 33c

19c KIMONOS 19c—50 Short Kimonos and House Sacques, in durable colors. Sizes 34 to 42. 19c value, 49c value 19c

From 1 to 2 O'Clock

12½c FLEECE LINED SUITINGS 6½c—Printed heavy fleece suitings in gray and brown grounds, 12½c value 6½c

10c CHECK SUITINGS 5½c—Fancy Check Suitings, in assorted patterns, good firm material, excellent for children's dresses. 10c value 5½c

60c RUBBERS 39c—Ladies' Storm Rubbers. Good makes. 60c value, one hour 39c

From 2 to 3 O'Clock

$3.00 BOYS' SUITS $1.39—Boys' Blue Cheviot 2-Piece Suits, plain pants, all sizes, 8 to 17 years. $3.00 value 1.39

50c PYROGRAPHY 25c—Heavy Bevel Plate Mirror, handsome glove, collar and cuff boxes, slightly soiled. 50c value 25c

25c LADIES' NECKWEAR 8c—Fancy Neckwear, newest designs; materials of silk, net and Val. lace. 25c value, on hour 8c

From 3 to 4 O'Clock

75c INFANTS' SHOES 19c—Infants' Soft Sole Shoes, in colors. Sizes 1 to 4. 75c value, one hour 19c

12½c DRESS GINGHAMS 7c—50 pieces of Fancy Dress Ginghams to select from; fine assortment of colors and patterns 7c

19c SUSPENDERS 11c — Men's Heavy Elastic Web Suspenders, extra length ends. 19c value, one hour 11c

From 4 to 5 O'Clock

$3.00 BOYS' SUITS $1.39—Boys' Russian and Sailor Suits, mixed goods, medium weights. Sizes 3 to 10 years. $2.50 and $3 value 1.39

$1.25 HAIR GOODS 69c—Large Rozette Hair Puffs in blk., light and brown. $1.25 value, one hour 69c

98c HOUSE DRESSES 79c—House Dresses in extra quality of percale in light and dark colors. Sizes 34 to 42. 98c value 79c

No Mail, Telephone or C. O. D. Orders Filled for Hour Sale Mdse.

RULING ADVERSE TO UNION LABEL

Revere citizens who are trying to have the union label on all printing done for their town received a setback in the Superior Court today, when Judge Richardson sustained the demurrer of Ernest H. Pierce and the board of auditors of that place to the plea of John C. Pirie and nine others for an injunction to restrain the publishing of a printing contract made with Pierce by the auditors. Judge Richardson says the bill by Pirie and the other citizens is improperly drawn, but gives them the right to amend it.

The petitioners for the injunction claim that in 1903 it was voted at a town meeting to have the union label on all town printing when it was feasible and that the board of auditors have not observed the order. Pierce, who does not conduct a printing establishment where the union label is used, says in his demurrer that the town had no power to pass such an order and that it is illegal and void, being in conflict with the bill of rights, the constitution of Massachusetts and the fourteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States.

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POISON CASE WILL GO TO GRAND JURY

Continued from First Page.

ance companies, or that I know where some of it is.

"Neither one of these theories is correct. I never received a nickel from her in my life. I do not know where the money is. I have given that matter a great deal of earnest thought. I have silent cause to the conclusion that Mrs. Kelleher must have squandered some of her money at least.

"I know she had $1,000 in a bank at one time. What became of that? It would be a good thing for the police to look into this. If they have not already done so.

"Another thing. I do not believe Mary Kelleher ever set fire intentionally to her employer's home. She was probably looking in the excelsior for something she had left there and the fire was accidental."

Three Persons Sought.

From what is known it is not believed that the district attorney or the police will arrest any one in connection with the fire. There are in some way concerned with the mystery which has been one of the most baffling ever confronted in New England crime annals.

The man seeking for the boarder who spent some time with the Kelleher family when they lived in Somerville. This person visited Mrs. Mary Kelleher in her cell in the East Cambridge jail, where she is held in default of $1,200 bail on a charge of arson.

The police have heard this person's story about conditions in the Kelleher home, but they do not think all the truth was told at that time. They think something is being held.

They believe this person can greatly help them in their efforts to finally solve the mystery. They even think it possible that they may learn from the boarder who got the insurance money.

Chain of Evidence.

The police believe that this person secured the poison and gave it to the individual who administered the fatal drug to the sick Kellehers and thereby caused their deaths.

This is the person about whom the police are now engaged in weaving an unbreakable chain of circumstantial evidence.

The third person, the individual who actually administered the poison, is, the police believe, well within their reach. They think that they can secure this person when they desire and confront the suspect with circumstances and evidences of guilt which cannot be gainsaid.

A motive for the wholesale poisoning has been established. What it is has not been publicly kept from the public. The police steadily refuse to discuss the case now. They feel that they are close to clearing its final solution and that this is no time to take the public into their confidence.

Woman's Conflicting Stories.

The condition of Mrs. Mary Kelleher in her cell in jail is being carefully watched. Many officials have, from time to time, conversed with her. The woman has told conflicting stories about the insurance money. About $4,000, which she received from the companies when members of her family died.

She has said she spent the money and she has also told that she did not know where it was.

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$49.00 to $59.00 Plain and Fancy Voile Suits (over heavy silk drop)	25.00
$3.98 to $4.98 Plain and Fancy Dress Skirts	1.98
$6.50 to $7.50 Broadcloths and Wool Mixed Skirts	4.98
$19.00 Black Voile Skirt over Silk drop	10.00
$10.00 to $12.50 All-Wool Broadcloth Coats (50-inch, Satin lined)	5.98
$12.98 to $15.00 Broadcloth Coats	7.50
$15.00 to $19.00 Broadcloth Coats	10.00
$5.98 to $6.50 Taffeta and Satin Petticoats	3.98
$1.29 to $1.49 Lingerie Waists	98c
$3.98 to $4.98 French Flannel Waists	1.98
$2.98 to $3.98 Tailor Made Linen Waists	1.98
$5.98 to $7.50 Silk and Net Waists	4.98

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THREE MILLION VOTES CAST DURING THE DAY IN BIG TOUR CONTEST

All previous voting records were shattered by splitters yesterday when the BOSTON AMERICAN'S monster European Tour election to determine the thirty-six most popular Sunday School teachers of Boston and suburbs.

Upward of 2,000,000 actual ballots were cast. These were all voting coupons, clipped from the daily and Sunday AMERICAN, in addition nearly 1,000,000 votes were cast by SPECIAL BALLOT.

The voting was at whirlwind pace all day from the time the polls opened at 7:30 in the morning until after 10 o'clock last night, when an extra force of twelve ballot clerks began the counting. The record established is little short of phenomenal, and especially so in view of the fact that the contest has nearly three months more to run.

Wagon Loads of Votes.

Had yesterday been the final day of the big election, it is doubtful whether there could have been more excitement and turmoil among the candidates. Hundreds of men and thousands of their friends, visited the European Tour headquarters.

They all came laden with giant bundles of votes, and toward the closing hour the Tour Manager, Miss Grace Conover, in the neighborhood of the AMERICAN office, looked like a floundering procession of holiday shoppers. Wagons of candidates sent ballots in by messenger and by express. They were hauled to the Tour Department by every automobile truck in Devonshire street. The heavy rain that fell during the day seemed to stimulate rather than dampen the ardor of the voters, and the way they bravely stood in the pouring downpour, now eagerly the BOSTON AMERICAN'S thirty-six grand tours of Europe are sought after.

Watch for Standing Sunday.

To all the teachers in the contest the avalanche of votes was like a cooling stream. Each was anxious to see the other's score, because yesterday's voting virtually tells the tale of who is and who isn't going to be in line for a strong finish.

It was the last day for voting single coupons, and all teachers who had been holding back had to show their hand.

Next Sunday's AMERICAN will tell the story of it all to the curious thousands who are waiting to hear. It will print the complete standing of every candidate up to 6 o'clock this evening. The counting of the votes will not be finished, perhaps, before Saturday night.

Only SPECIAL BALLOTS, and coupons clipped from last Sunday's AMERICAN, will be accepted to-day.

The contest will close on May 1, or earlier. No more single voting coupons will be published in the DAILY AMERICAN. In fact, the only ballots to be published will be in the SUNDAY AMERICAN, and they will count twenty votes each.

These ballots will be dated every week, and must be voted within ten days of the day of publication.

SET EVERETT FIRE; IS FINED $100

Charged with setting fire to a wagon, the property of the New England Gas and Coke Company of Everett, owned by A. Kerr of Everett, arraigned before Judge Charles M. Bruce in Malden District Court today, The court found him guilty and he was fined $100. It was charged that he set the fire early last Sunday morning. Four witnesses appeared against him. He pleaded not guilty.

RETIRED MERCHANT DEAD.

George H. Leonard, a retired Boston merchant, aged seventy-one, is dead at the Hotel Brunswick, where he lived for many years. He had suffered from facial erysipelas, which developed into meningitis. He leaves a widow, a sister of George C. Thomas, of Drexel & Co. of Philadelphia; a daughter, and a son, who is an artist in Paris.

REPORT HAINS DYING IN CELL

NEW YORK, Feb. 11—There is grave danger of Captain Peter C. Hains, the slayer of William E. Annis, dying in the jail at Long Island City, according to statements made by the jail attendants today.

Captain Hains has refused the food offered him for several days, declines to talk with the jail attendants and for a month has not permitted any of the jail turnkeys to touch him with shears or razor.

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Our introductory sale on Monday, although productive of the biggest day's business we have ever known, was merely a hint of the extensiveness of our plans. We are going to make this the greatest thing ever conceived. Our "clearing house" occupies one whole floor in our mammoth establishment, brilliantly lighted, well ventilated, and devoted exclusively to the sale of manufacturers' overproductions, as well as broken and discontinued lines from our own high class stock. These goods are offered to you at ¼ to ½ of original prices. Below are just a few of the wonderful "clearing house" bargains prepared for Friday and Saturday.

SUITS

About a Dozen Well-Made Suits, various colors and materials, not this season's models, but excellent values. Were $8.00 to $20.00. Clearing house price $2.19

14 Good Quality Panama and Check Worsted Suits, were $15.00. Clearing house price $4.19

38 $12.00 to $18.50 Suits of good quality broadcloth, colors black, blue, brown, smoke, wistaria and cutaway. Every suit in this lot one of this season's best styles. Clearing house price $5.19

Mfg's Surplus Stock New Spring Suits, blue, green, black and brown, in the popular cheviot materials. A $17.50 to $18.50 value. Clearing house price $10.90

SKIRTS

A Few of Our $2.49 to $4.50 Women's and Misses' Skirts, Panama and mohair effects, black and dark colorings $1.19

31 $3.98 to $8.90 Stylish skirts, in Panamas, mohairs, voiles, etc., wide and narrow flounces, some with silk bindings. Clearing house price $2.19

20 $7.50 to $17.50 Unlined Skirts, blue and black, prettily trimmed. Clearing house price $4.19

DRESSES

$4.90 to $8.00 Lingerie Princess Dresses, white and black batiste. Clearing house price $2.19

54 Silk Jumper Dresses, stripes and silk colorings. $7.50 to $16.50. Clearing house price $3.19

FUR COATS

Manufacturers' Surplus and Odds and Ends of Fur Lined Coats, made of an excellent quality broadcloth, lined throughout with Russian kid, at a saving of one-third to one-half on many lines. Some have fur collar of muskrat, some have fur collar of black Persian lamb, without question the equal of any $25.00 coat on the market, in colors black, blue, brown and red. Some lots of these coats will be kept at Clearing house price $11.19

Men's Fur Lined Coats comprising lots of muskrat or mackinaw, driving collar of same. The best value in Boston. Your choice at Clearing house price $35.00

1 $125.00 Men's Fur Lined Coats, lined with the best marmot that can be procured. Other collar, the finest coat we have ever carried at this price. Clearing $52.00

COATS

We have in stock Five Hundred Coats, the lowest of which sold originally at $6.00. They ranged in price as high as $25.00. Excellent quality Winter Coats. Clearing house price $2.19

Do you realize what this means? $7.49 is the highest price you can pay in this department for Winter coats which we always retail for $25.00.

Final Reductions of Pony Coats

1 $30.00 Sample Pony Coat, embroidered red set in, hooded lining, fitted, size 36. Clearing house price $15.00

2 $75.00 Genuine Russian Pony Coats, fine new skins, fitted back, high collar. Clearing house price $35.00

Just received from a New York furrier, a shipment of sample Pony Coats, beautiful hair, rich furs, hooded and with deep lining. Made of excellent satin lining, and the acme of perfection of the furrier's art, were made to sell at from $67.00 to $85.00. Clearing house prices $47.50

1 $80.00 50-inch Rich Lustrous Pony Coat, size 50, satin lined. Clearing house price $50.00

1 $35.00 Beautiful Short Hair Pony Coat (sample), richly lined trimmed, size 40. Clearing house price $52.00

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48 BATTLESHIPS GUARANTEE OF PEACE, SAYS BOB EVANS

"Our Men Behind the Guns Are the Best in Any Navy Afloat."

The defeat of anti-Japanese legislation by the California Assembly after many hours of heated debate is followed with a remarkable statement by "Fighting Bob" Evans concerning the national and international situation. This statement is given exclusively to the BOSTON AMERICAN.

Through pressure brought by President Roosevelt, Governor Gillett and Speaker Stanton, the Assembly at Sacramento reconsidered the bill providing for the segregation of Japanese students in the public schools of California, and then rejected the measure, 37 to 11.

The Assembly is now clear of Japanese measures objectionable to the national administration.

Rear Admiral Evans, from snapshot taken on his last visit to Boston.

The Fighting Admiral Warns the Nation in a Remarkable Statement.

PEACE ASSURED BY GREAT FORCE OF BATTLESHIPS

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—"The history of the past twelve years seems to me to indicate that hard blows will have to be given and taken before the millennium shall arrive, and I would prefer that we, as a nation, be in a position to administer the blows rather than receive them. Therefore, I want battleships—and still battleships.

"The statesmen of our country should be peace, and forty-eight battleships would make this watchword effective."

With this as a foreword, Admiral Robley D. Evans to-day wrote his views for the AMERICAN of the present national and international situation. His article follows:

By ADMIRAL ROBLEY D. EVANS.

The cruise of the Atlantic fleet, now drawing to a close, affords positive proof on several points which, at this time, may be of interest to the public. Particularly is the case first with reference to the machinery of our battleships, the quality of which has sometimes been questioned. Forty-eight hours of continued without a serious breakdown, during which heavy gales of the most severe and unusual character were encountered, should put at rest any doubt that may have been created in the public mind by ill-considered criticism.

The target practice at Magdalena Bay, Manilla Bay, should remove any doubt in ones that our gun pointers are at least equal to any in the world. My own opinion is that, taking them as a whole, they are far and away the best that stand behind the guns of any navy afloat to-day.

The ability of our officers to handle the ships and safely navigate them under all conditions, has been clearly shown, for in this unprecedented cruise of 46,000 miles no ship has taken the bottom, and there has been no collision or damage of any kind.

Our own Live contacted themselves in a way to reflect credit on the navy and the country. They have been well fed and clothed, and have been everywhere commended for those capable of judging, for their excellent conduct and fine manly appearance and bearing.

Fleet Equal to Any Other War Machine.

All this seems to me to spell the word Efficiency as plainly as possible, and I feel that I am within bounds when I say that our Atlantic fleet is as well manned, equal to any war machine of the same size owned by any other country.

And this naturally brings the thought, What are the new ships of the future going now to be like, as compared with those built down by foreign Powers?

Up to the present time our designs have, I claim, been equal to those of other nations, better; but this, as is well known, has been and is to-day denied by some of our own people, though generally admitted by professional men in other countries.

I refer her to ships designed or built at the same time.

The story that the English were building thirteen and a half long guns for some of their battleships is utterly without foundation. No such gun has been designed, much less put in service. The fifty-ton guns they are sounding are just what our fifty-caliber guns will be—no better and no worse.

My own opinion is that we should long ago have given up this twelve-inch gun and adopted a larger one, but this would have required a suit of larger displacement, and this increase in size has always been opposed by one class of officers in the navy and by the naval committees of Congress. In the past our policy was to carry heavier guns than any of our possible enemies, and history records the wisdom of this policy.

When the Florida and the Utah are in commission they will, with the Delaware and North Dakota, form a division of the fleet unequalled by any division in the navies of the world. We could this year have provided for four of the twenty-six thousand-ton ships voted for, and should have possessed a squadron of eight battleships more powerful than any yet built elsewhere or even designed.

Wisdom to Make Ready as Rapidly as Possible.

This will naturally prompt the question why we want these powerful and expensive vessels. The answer to my mind is clear—to prevent some one from taking from us something that we value, or to prevent us from doing our share in the work of the world. Are we in condition to prevent some one from doing one or both these things? And if we are not, then is it not the part of wisdom to make ready, not by piecemeal, but as rapidly as possible?

The result of the Hague conference has not been what was expected by some nations, which have put forward their novel method of stopping wars. The history of the past twelve years seems to me to indicate that hard blows will have to be given and taken before the millennium shall arrive, and I would prefer that we, as a nation, be in a position to administer the blows rather than receive them. Therefore, I want battleships—and still battleships.

For our Atlantic coast twenty-four first-class battleships, and all the cruisers, torpedo boats, etc., that go with a battle fleet; and for the Pacific coast, which may at any moment become the danger point, exactly the same fleet over the same auxiliaries. With sixteen battleships in commission on each coast, and eight in reserve, we would be in a position of absolute safety.

In case of trouble the sixteen ships in reserve would form the nucleus of battle fleet, and such a force, if always kept at the highest point of efficiency, would insure peace, which should be the watchword of this nation.

It is rare for such a fleet on the Pacific we should require several new naval stations on that coast, and they should be provided at once. There is no

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New baby grand pianos, regular prices $750, now $466 to $550. One Knabe Grand, used, was $1200, now $425. One Hallet & Davis Grand, used, was $1000, now $300.

$600 to $800 player pianos now (two used in demonstration), now $390, $425 and upward. Entire stock must go.

Remember, this is the one great chance for a genuine saving in good guaranteed instruments. The stock is going rapidly and early buyers get the choicest bargains. No chance to buy at these prices after this sale.

Time is getting short. Write or telephone if you cannot call at once. Open evenings during the sale.

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FANCY HAND PACKED
These are very fancy; it will pay you to stock up. Regular 10c value. Per can **8c**

CORN—Fancy "Three Crown Brand." Reg. 10c value. Per can.....9c
PEAS—Fancy Early June "Hunter's Pride." Regular 10c value. Per can.....9c
PRUNES—Extra Large Santa Clara. Reg. 12c value. Per lb.....8c
TAPIOCA—Fancy Pearl. Regular 8c value. Per lb.....5c
SALMON—Fancy Medium Red Alaska. Reg. 15c value. Per can.....12c
GRANULATED INDIAN MEAL—Reg. 10c value. 5 lbs.....25c
PICKLES—Heinz Products. Our Pickling—Sour Gherkins. Chow Chow. Sour Mixed. Sweet Mixed. Per bottle 17c Regular 10c and 25c value.
CRACKERS—Fancy Graham. Per lb.....8c

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Rib Steak, 25c value, per lb.....20c
2 lbs. for 25c
Rib Roasts, fine cuts, 15c value, lb.....10c
Corned Beef, Fancy Brisket, regular 15c value, per lb.....12c
Hamburg Steak, regular 10c value, per lb.....8c
Pickled Pigs' Feet, 8c value, per lb.....6c

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Gray's Special Whiskey, Bottled in Bond, regular $1.25 value. Full qt.....99c

Gray's Malt Whiskey, equal to the highest grade, regular 75c value. Bottle.....65c

Gin—Fine Old Tom or Fine Old Holland. Regular $1.00 value. Full bottle.....89c
California Claret, regular 50c value per bottle.....21c
Gray's Irish Whiskey, regular $1.25 value, full bottle.....85c
Premier Rum, Old New England, regular $1.00 value, full bottle.....85c
COMBINATION NO. 1, 5 Bottles 1 Bot. Cal. Port, 1 Bot. Sherry, 1 Bot. Muscatel, 1 Bot. Angelica, 1 Bot. Claret, 3 Vinegar. Sold everywhere at $1.00 or make your own combination for.....99c
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Have you heard the new Orchestra in our Lunch Room? It is the talk of the town, and adds greatly to the other attractive features of our Restaurant, which is the lightest and most pleasantly located eating room in Boston.

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Our Mail Order Service gives our out-of-town patrons an opportunity to obtain advertised bargains. Avail yourselves of our prompt and efficient service. Mail orders on the following will be filled as long as the lots last.

FROM 9 TILL 12

Parlor Tables In oak and imitation mahogany finish, your choice of round or square tops and pedestal base. Usually sold for $3.98, this sale.....2.29

Oil Cloths Some of them possibly subject to slight misprint in the manufacture, 1 yard and 1½ yards wide. 30c value, at, per square yard.....19c

Axminster Carpet Rugs Fringed, size 34 yard, 27x54 inches, for three hours.....39c

Corsets Low bust and dip hip corsets, made of good strong batiste, boned and supporters attached. Regular 50c value, for.....25c

Tea Aprons Ladies' round and square Tea Aprons, in gingham and white, some hemstitched, others with scalloped edges. Excellent value for 25c.....10c

Cooking Kettles Royal granite ware, made of one piece, seamless, 10-qt. size. Regular price 49c, for 3 hours.....35c

Oil Heaters "Dangler," full nickelled trimmed, brass oil fount with smokeless device. Our special price is $3.69, they are worth $4.98, priced for three hours at.....2.98

Gas Chandeliers All brass fixtures polished and lacquered, 2 arms with globes. Regular price $2.99, for three hours.....1.79

Men's Half Hose Heavy four thread, fast black and tan cotton, 12½c value, per pair. 9c
3 for 25c
Basement Annex

Boys' Pajamas Heavy, fancy domet flannel, tailor made, $1.00 value. 59c per suit.....59c

Men's Sweater Coats Heavy oxford gray, large pearl buttons. For three hours 39c each.....39c
Basement Annex

Men's Night Robes Twilled cotton, good quality, full sizes. Good value at 59c, for three hours at 42c each.....42c
Only two to a customer

Women's Hose Fast black, with unbleached split soles, full regular made—medium weight. Staple 25c value, per pair.....15c

Women's Underwear Winter weight, jersey ribbed, fleece lined Vests and Pants. The best 25c goods, per garment.....19c

Women's Hose Silk lisle, garter top, fast black, tan, pink, sky blue, reseda, dark green, lavender, slice blue and burgundy. For 3 hours, per pair...19c

Rogers Pie Forks Silver plated, fancy design on handle. Regularly sold at $1.00 per dozen, for 3 hours at, each.....5c

Books 500 cloth bound novels, originally published at $1.50 each, all standard copyright titles, 19c

Drug Store Schenck's Liquid Cream, 25c size for.....15c

Borated Talcum Powder Sprinkle top cans, at only.....4c

Fine Sachet Powder Regular 50c an ounce quality for.....19c

Envelopes Nice quality of manila envelopes, size 6¾, in packages of 25. Regular price 5c a package.
3 packages for 5c

Shoe Laces Tubular, extra good quality, all lengths. Regular prices 5c a pair, for three hours, 6 pairs 5c

Jap Drawn Squares A salesman's sample line of Jap drawn squares, variety of sizes, some with real filet lace centre. Value up to $1.75, 3 hours.....79c
Fourth Floor

Friday Chocolates Sold only on Fridays in connection with this sale. An excellent quality that cannot be duplicated for less than 40c a pound. Price during this sale, lb. box, for.....19c

Unframed Pictures 1,000 sheet pictures, mostly historical reproductions, also many colored subjects, sizes up to 10x12. Values from 10c to 25c each, this sale only.....1c

Harness Section A good warm stable blanket, Baker pattern, 2 wide surcingles, etc. A $2.49 kind, for this sale, each.....1.69

Handkerchiefs Fine imported Swiss embroidered, hemstitched and hemstitched edges, with slight manufacturers' imperfections. 12½c and 25c values.
3 for 25c

Point Venise Laces In galloons, medallions and festoons, a large and pretty assortment, white, cream and ecru colors. Values 25c, 30c and 35c, for 19c a yard.....19c

Shoulder Shaw's Dark colored, woolen, with fringed ends and border. 25c value.....17c

Drawers Cambric ruffled, la Drawers full flounce, hemstitched or pin tucks. Regular value 25c, for this sale at.....14c

Night Gowns Made of white domet flannel, others in pretty stripes, all neatly trimmed and full size. Good value at 75c, for.....44c

Men's Clothing pairs of Men's Trousers, in fancy lines. Value up to $3.50, fine assortment of patterns, for three hours only.....1.95

Boys' Russian Overcoats Fine, soft cheviots, sizes 3 to 8. Values up to $2.50, for three hours only.....1.47

Young Men's Overcoats Sizes 15 to 20, fine assortment of patterns, broken up from our $7.50 and $10.00 line. For 3 hours only.....4.98

Just 15 Overcoats for large men, sizes 42-44-46. Values up to $15.00. Come and try one on. Some odd at.....6.98

Young Men's Suits Sizes 15 to 20, fine variety of grays and browns. Value up to $8.50, for three hours only.....5.98

Leggings Babies' Worsted Leggings, in black and white, sizes 6 months to 1 year. Value 25c, for this sale at.....12½c

Babies' Dresses Little tots' percale dresses in French and Gussian styles, of pretty checks, sizes 2 to 5 years. Value 75c, price for this sale.....59c

Camille Kimonos In striped flannelette, with scalloped edge. A 25c value, at.....12½c

60 Doz. Lawn Waists With panel of embroidery, long sleeves. Just for 3 hours.....29c

Skating Sweaters Ladies' all wool Skating Sweaters, with or without pockets. Value $1.49, for three hours only.....97c
Third Floor

Waists All wool Nun's Veiling Waists in black or white, long or ¾ sleeves. Never sold for less than $1.00, three hours only...1.10

Tea Any grade, 20 ounces to the pound.

Baking Soda Purest and best. Regular price 8c per package, at.....5c

Sardines Smoked Norwegian Sardines. Regular price 12½c per tin, 3 for 25c

Naptha Soap Powder Swift's. Regular price 10c per pkg., at.....4c

Fancy Factory Cheese Strong or mild. Regular price 20c per pound, at only.....19c

Whole Nutmegs Regular price 20c per pound, at only.....19c

Bakery: Delicatessen
German Potato Salad. Regular price 12c lb., at.....8c
Fried Cod or Haddock. Regular price 18c lb., at only.....12c

Mattresses Made in all sizes, with white cotton top and covered in extra heavy blue and white striped ticking. From 9 till 12 at only.....2.49

Bed Outfits Consisting of white enamel bed with heavy brass rail, all iron slats with spring and white cotton top mattress, all sizes. For three hours only.....9.98

Pillows Size 22x27, selected grade of mixed goose feathers, blue and white "gold medal" ticking. Regular price $3.98 per pair, for three hours, pair.....2.50

Hair Nets (all over style). Large size, all shades. Regular price 21c, for 3 hours,
2 for 25c

Wrist Bags—Half price. Odd $1.00 Wrist Bags, in a variety of styles and colors, all fitted with small purses, 3-hour sale.....49c

Ribbon Remnants Odds and ends of all silk Dresden and Fancy Ribbon, 5 to 7 inches wide, etc. Value up to 20c a yd., at.....10c

Martin Folding Skates Steel runners, nickel plated, price $3.00.....98c

Wall Paper 7,500 rolls of handsome wall paper for 3c a roll.....3c

Table Oilcloth 25c quality, 1½ yards wide, in fancy colors and all white. They are called manufacturers' seconds but the imperfections are very slight. For three hours at half price, yard.....12½c
Second Floor Rear

Outing Flannel 12½c Cinderella Outing Flannel, in plain colors, blue and pink, in lengths from 2 to 10 yards, all perfect goods. For three hours, yd.....8c
First Floor Rear

Cromarty Suitings 12½c goods, in full pieces 36 inches wide, in a fine variety of patterns in stripes, checks and figures. For 3 hours, per yard.....6¾c

Bath Robes Made from fine blankets, in dark colors and border trimmings. $3.00 value.....1.59

25 Doz. Boys' Blouses In a fine variety of wash materials and black sateens. 25c value.....17c

151 China Silk Waists With dainty trimmings of cluny lace, on sale at 10 o'clock. Value $1.98 and $2.49, at.....1.00

Wash Dress Closing out of our $3.98 Flannel Wash Dress, only 46 in the lot. Come early and get one at.....2.79

300 Taffeta Waists With gorgeous yokes of valenciennes lace and medallion. Formerly sold for $3.00, at.....2.95

Bonnaz Curtains Battenburg trimmed flat curtains with Bonnaz motif in corner and battenberg insertion, 2½ yards long. $1.75 value, pair.....1.29

Couch Covers 60-inch Tapestry Couch Covers in Oriental patterns, perfect, reversible, trimmed with knotted fringe. $2.00 value, each.....1.29

Muslin Curtains Fine sheer organdie muslin curtains, trimmed with full hemstitched ruffles and cluster of 5 tucks. 69c value, a pair.....44c

Suitings 50-inch light colored Suitings, stylish, durable and serviceable. Regular value 49c and 59c, 3-hour price.....21c

Plain Taffetalines In a good range of all the desirable colors, for early spring dress and lining purposes. Regular 29c values, at.....23c

Fish
Fresh Eastern Halibut, 2 lbs. for.....25c
Fresh Smelts, 3 lbs.25c
Sliced White Fish, lb.8c
Fresh Shore Haddock, per lb.....5c
Fresh Market Cod, lb.7c
Finnan Haddie, lb.7c
Fresh Scallops, qt.30c
Salt Cod, no bones at only, per lb.....12½c

FROM 2 TILL 5

Boys' Knee Pants Fine assortment of mixtures and black cheviots, sizes 4 to 16. Values up to 50c, for 3 hours only.....29c

47 Men's Suits Fancy mixtures and black cheviots, broken up from our $7.50 line, for three hours only.....4.95

Men's Overcoats All wool melton, fine assortment of grays. Regular price $15.00, for three hours only.....9.75

Men's Trousers Fine variety of fancy cheviots, suitable for dress or working pants. Value $2.50, for three hours only.....1.48

Boys' Long Overcoats Sizes 7 to 16, fine variety of grays. Value up to $6.00, for 3 hours only.....3.96

Boys' Reefers Sizes 3 to 12, fine quality of blue cheviot. Our regular $1.98 number, for.....1.69

Children's Rompers In blue chambray and khaki, piped with red. Value 59c, price.....47c

Sleepers Children's Flannelette Sleepers, in pink and blue stripes. Value 39c, price.....25c

Wrappers Fine percale, in assortment of styles and colors. $1.25 value, for this sale.....89c

Dressing Sacques Fleeced back material in dark colors, fitted back, high neck with long sleeves. 39c value.....25c

Ladies' Cotton Gowns Tucked yoke, Hubbard style. Regular 49c value, at.....25c

Ladies' Gowns Of fine flannelette in pink and white and blue and white stripes, deep collar, scalloped and braided, full sizes. Regular 75c value, for.....45c

Ladies' Petticoats Made of good black sateen, deep accordion plaited flounce, finished with ruffle. Good value for 69c, at.....39c

House Waists in Madras Tailored effects, button front, long sleeves. Worth 59c, your choice for this sale, at.....39c

Waists Slightly soiled Batiste and Lawn Waists, odds and ends from our $1.00 and $1.49 tables, to be cleaned out at.....50c

Skating Sweaters Ladies' Skating Coat Sweaters, in oxford, with crimson borders. Value 69c, for three hours only at.....39c
Third Floor

Hens Goods Here are 500 bright fawn stamped blankets, good wool mixture, size 84x90, weight over 7 lbs., that we do not want to keep in stock, for this sale.....2.98

Cheese Dishes Glass base, quadruple silver plate covers, satin finished. Regularly sold for $3.00, this sale.....1.98

Books Webster's School and Office Dictionaries, 1909 edition of over 70,000 words. 33c each.....33c

Post Card Albums Large size, long shape, fancy cover, with colored inserts. Regular 50c value.....23c
A regular 50c album, for this sale.....23c

Drug Store Peroxide Cream, 25c size, for.....14c
Seconds in 25c Rubber Beauty Complexion Brushes.....4c
Two Quart Fountain Syringes. Regular 75c value.....39c

Mentz Fresh Young Pig Pork, by strip, lb.....11c
Legs and Loins of Lamb, lb.....12½c
Forequarters of Lamb, per lb.....8c
Corned Face of Beef, to roast, lb.....12½c
Sirloin of Beef, choice cuts, lb.....18c
Corned Beef, middle ribs, lean and choice, lb.....8c
Fresh and Corned Ox Tongues, lb.....12½c

Axminster Carpets Manufacturer's samples, some of them slightly soiled, size 1x1½ yards, with bound ends. Make a fine excellent rug. Regular 1.98 value, at.....98c
No Mail Orders Filled

Carpets Tapestry Brussels, short length, 2 to 15 yds. $1 value, at.....58c

Rattan Rockers Well made, from the best rattan, neat design work, and very comfortable. Make over. Usually sold for $3.48, for this sale.....2.48

All Steel Scissors Warranted, all sizes. Value 29c, for 3 hours.....24c

Cloth and Hair Brushes A manufacturer's lot of odds and ends of Cloth and Hair Brushes, assorted prices in the lot, for three hours.....10c

Scotch Knitting Yarn In a few shades only, an over stock of a few colors. Value 33c, for three hours only.....25c

Bureau Scarfs 2-piece in Renaissance lace, with linen centre, size 18 inches wide and 36 inches long. A good 50c value, for 34c each.....34c

Handkerchiefs Ladies' all pure linen hemstitched, good quality and size. 5c value, for 3c each.....3c

Framed Pictures Colored Landscapes, many subjects in 3-inch gilt frames, wire hangers, in composition corners, size outside 17x36. $1.69 is the regular low price, for this sale.....17c

Women's Union Suits Summer weight, low neck, sleeveless, knee length, tight cuff and ankle, lisle finish, 50c value (sold as seconds), 25c per suit.....25c

Children's Hose Fast black cotton, 1x1 ribbed, sizes 4 to 6. 12½c value, per pair.....7c
4 for 25c

Women's Underwear Medium weight, Jersey ribbed shaped Vests, bleached, high neck, short sleeves, and Umbrella Pants to match. 29c value, 17c per garment.....17c

Men's Shirts Fancy negligee, attached laundered cuffs, new spring patterns, perfect goods. 59c value, 39c each.....39c

Men's Half Hose All wool, double merino heels and toes. Staple 25c value, 15c per pair.....15c

Men's Underwear Heavy two-ply, Jaeger fleece lined Shirts and Drawers. 50c value, 35c per garment, for this sale.....35c
Basement Annex

Men's Pleated Shirts Fancy negligee, attached, hand laundered cuffs, $1.00 and $1.23 value, 79c each, for this sale.....79c

Ribbon Belting 3-inch Moire Belting, in black, white, pink, blue, violet, navy and brown. Value 25c a yard.....15c

Wellesley Bags Genuine "Wellesley" Bags, made large size, with block bottom of real India gingham, in black and brown, made with the most durable shoulder bag. Value sold for $1.50.....98c

Coffee Any grade, 20 ounces for a pound.

Wheat Flakes Regular price 10c per pkg., at.....5c

Pure Spices All 9c packages, at.....5c

Fancy Selected Eggs Regular price 42c per doz., at.....39c

Scrub E-Z Brush and soap combined. Regular price 10c per cake, at
12 for 19c

Fancy High-grade Jams Regular price 25c per jar, at.....19c

Bakery: Delicatessen
Fried Smelts. Reg. price 40c lb., at.....28c
Fresh Baked Turnovers, apple or raspberry filling. Regular price 30c dozen at.....24c
Meyer's "Golden Sponge" Cake. Regular price 20c loaf, at.....15c

Skates An excellent assortment of tempered Ice Skates. A quality that regularly retail for $3.00 a pair, only.....98c

Cribs All iron cribs, with National spring bottom. Complete with cotton top mattress.....4.25

Wall Paper Ten handsome patterns of choice wall paper, a quality that usually retails at from 20c to 25c a roll, for 8c a roll, for this sale.....8c

Mattress Made in layers of pure white felt, full weight, and extra heavy ticking, all sizes. From 2 to 5 this $10.00 value for.....6.98

Couch Cots Steel tube frame, nicely bronzed and fitted with National spring, 30 inches wide. From 2 to 5 only.....1.98

Wash Silks Odd variety of wash silks and fancy weaves, also limited quantity of plain silk. Worth up to 39c a yard, special in lengths from 1 to 12 yards, only.....17c

Waists Just 120 Ecru Lace Waists, beautifully trimmed in Persian effects. Worth $1.98, on sale at 2 o'clock at.....1.10

Tailored Waists Of all wool Vellings with 7-inch plaited front, either black or white. Worth $1.98, this sale choice at.....1.10

Waists We will place on sale at 2 o'clock 350 beautifully trimmed Taffeta Silk Waists, in the new spring colorings. Worth $2.49, your choice at.....1.98

Lace Curtains 6 beautiful patterns of Scotch Lace Curtains, in copies of imported laces, all very effective and durable, $3 value, $1.98 a pair.....1.98

Drapery Remnants Colored Scrim Muslins and Silkoline, in lengths up to 6 yards, suitable for 1 to 3 sash and long curtains, 12½c and 15c values, 6½c a yard.....6¾c

Suitings 40 pieces of Desirable Suitings that have retailed at prices up to 39c. In plaids, stripes and fancy weaves, special for three hours.....12½c

House Dresses In two pieces, made from chambray and percale, tucked waist and gathered skirt. $1.25 value.....89c

Burlap 36-inch colored Burlap, for wall and floor coverings, in reds and greens, heavy quality. Regularly 17c a yard, 12c a yard.....12c

Saucepans Royal Granite Ware, made of one piece (seamless), 4 quart size. Regular price 39c, for 3 hours only.....29c

Table Lamps B. & H. centre draught burner, fancy shade and gilt finish, complete with white dome shade. Regular price $2.69, for this sale.....1.79

White Lawn 12½c Fine White Lawn, 40 inches wide, all in full pieces and perfect goods. For three hours, per yard.....7½c

Table Cloths $1.29 Mercerized Pattern Table Cloths, 1½ yards long, a fine assortment of patterns. Only a small quantity for three hours, each.....89c

Shelf Oilcloth In grade, in manufacturers' ends of 2 to 10 yards, a large variety of patterns. Less than half price for three hours, yard.....3c
First Floor Rear

"New Century" Plating See demonstration of the new silver plating in our smallware division (street floor). Undoubtedly the best silver polish in use. To assist in introducing it we offer it for 3 hours at 19c a bottle.....19c

Mrs. Potts' Irons Best grade, polished and nickel plated, three irons, stand and handle. Regular price $1.19, for 3 hours.....79c

Friday Chocolates Sold only on Fridays in connection with this sale. An excellent quality that cannot be duplicated for less than 40c a pound. Price during this sale, lb. box, for.....19c

Double Legal Stamps Every Forenoon

'POLICE CHIEF' HELD AS THIEF AND BIGAMIST

Thomas H. Ryan, arrested today by Inspector Cronin and Sergeant Angell after a two weeks' search, is a remarkable offender, if police charges are true.

They accuse him of the larceny of diamond rings valued at $400, of marrying two women within a year, and of representing himself as a Boston police inspector.

The police say that on March 2, 1908, he was married to Mabel Mottechan, and that on February 9 last he made Bertha Seibert his wife. She is now living at No. 8 Smith avenue, Roxbury, and she has been questioned by the detectives at Pemberton square headquarters.

The police say that this woman, whom they call Wife No. 2, told them that she believed Ryan to be a police inspector and that once he said that he was going to a trust company to draw $1,500 he had on deposit there, and when he came home with bandaged hands explained vitriol was thrown on them when he was attacked.

Charge Theft of Rings.

Her uncle is Christopher Kuenzel, a jeweler of No. 482 Main street, Springfield, and he also believed the prisoner to be an inspector and sent him several rings without security when Ryan, it is claimed, wrote him he wanted them for inspection and to make a choice for a gift for his wife.

The police say Ryan never returned the rings. When he was arrested a pair of "trusters" and a policeman's badge was found in his possession. He is twenty-eight years old and lives at No. 21 Stanhope street, Springfield. He will be arraigned in court tomorrow.

Said Room Romance.

Mrs. Bertha Seibert Ryan is twenty-seven years old and was a forewoman in some establishment when she met the man held by the police. They met at a ball given in January last by Spanish war veterans, it is said, and were married on February 9.

The woman, who the police say is Ryan's wife No. 2, was not at her home, 8 Smith street, Roxbury, today. Her widowed mother, who was half hysterical through grief, said:

"Bertha has gone out with her sisters. Of course she feels terrible and you can imagine how I feel. I thought I should die when she told me she had married Ryan.

"I did not like him. I did not want Bertha to marry him. I did not want her to have anything to do with him.

"My poor daughter, my poor daughter! What will she do? I have four other daughters. Two of them are married and two of them are single. This is a terrible blow to us all."

ROB L GIRL TICKET AGENT AT GUN POINT

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Three men got away today with the bags of silver and bank notes comprising the total receipts for the preceding day of the New York Union Elevated Railroad Station at Fifth avenue and Twentieth street. They took the cash from Grace West, the night ticket agent, with drawn revolvers, and broke the telephone wire before leaving.

While one of the men, the leader, stood at the window with pointed revolver and kept her attention, the other two passed around to the door and broke it open.

First they cleaned out the till, where there were several dollars in change. Then they helped themselves to tickets enough to keep them on the road's free list for at least a year.

Finally they came upon the chief prize, two bags of money, one containing $25, the other $27.

WOMAN AND MAN DYING IN STRANGE PLOT

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 11.—The police of this city and the physicians of the Rhode Island Hospital are baffled by the mysterious poisoning of Eli Atkins, a man of sixty years, and his housekeeper, Anna Fatherall, ten years his junior.

The hospital authorities cannot determine the nature of the drug, which both seem to have taken, and the man and woman are alike in a comatose condition; but when one of the internes asked of Miss Fatherall as she partially regained consciousness: "What did you take?" she moaned:

"I didn't take anything. And I didn't give him anything."

This remark leads the authorities to believe that the pair may have planned to die together, or that one or the other administered the deadly poison to both.

Forced the Doors.

They had been slightly ill with the grippe, and when Mr. Atkins's son called at the house, which is in the Olneyville district, yesterday, he got no response, and was obliged to force the door open. Entering, he found the aged couple unconscious. They were hurried to the hospital, where both are now close to death since.

The police declare that Mr. Atkins had his housekeeper and quarrelled lately, and that he had threatened to send her back to her former home in England. It is also said that the woman retorted that she would take retaliatory steps in case he did so. Atkins has a wife living in Olneyville, from whom he has been separated for some time. She lives with one of their two sons.

Captain Whipple of the Olneyville station went to the hospital today to endeavor to get a statement from both the patients; but he found them both in such a condition that this was impossible.

Poison a Mystery.

Dr. Eaton, who had treated Mr. Atkins for la grippe, stated to-day that in view of the inability of the hospital staff to detect the poison it is believed both are suffering from, it is possible that they might be suffering from exhaustion or privation following illness. The police do not credit this theory, for the relative of the man had called upon him, and they had both received medical attendance.

STATE STREET MEN TO PAY FOR PAVING

In order to lessen the noise State street, between Devonshire and Broad streets, will be repaved with wooden blocks, the cost to be defrayed by the abutters, which is something new to the superintendent of streets.

The street is still in good condition, but because of the immense traffic and repeated complaints by the various owners and tenants in the State street buildings, a fund was raised to carry out the plan.

Richard M. Bradley, a real estate dealer on State street, announces that he has deposited a sufficient amount to insure the completion of the work.

BELIEVE HUNGER DROVE TO BURGLARY

Police think that starvation may have driven some unknown person to burglary.

There were goods left in the store of C. Colburn at No. 6 Chambers street, broken into last night, which a professional thief would not have thought worth stealing. All that was stolen was a quarter of lamb, a slab of pork, two bottles of syrup, twenty pounds of sugar and a pair of shoes.

NEW ENGLAND BEAUTIES ENTER THE FROHMAN STAGE CONTEST

Three recent entries in the Frohman contest who wish to win opportunity for stage career.

Hattie Williams has accomplished many difficult things. She has become a theatrical star, for instance—worked her way up to stardom from the chorus.

But quite the most difficult of all tasks for her is still to come. That task is the selection of the photographs of the girls to be voted on in the Charles Frohman American Beauty Contest.

There is no lack of pretty girls in New England. If beauty were the only requisite in the contest the field would be dazzling and too large to handle. The BOSTON AMERICAN, which was chosen by Mr. Frohman as the medium through which to recruit talent, has accordingly set pictures of New England girls who hope to be selected for balloting.

Some of these photographs have been printed, purely as types of the contestants. Others are printed to-day, but the real competition begins on Monday when a series will start of photographs selected by Miss Williams and her associate judges.

Saturday is the record day for receiving photographs. Any girl who wishes to enter the contest and happens to have no photograph available may go to the Otto Sarony Studio at 146 Tremont street and have that photograph taken free of charge to be sent to the AMERICAN.

Next Monday morning all photographs received will be given over to the executive committee headed by Miss Hattie Williams, star of the "Fluffy Ruffles" Company, now playing at the Park Theatre. From the total number, Miss Williams and her associates will select between twenty-five and fifty.

These photographs, identified only by a number, will be printed in instalments in the BOSTON AMERICAN. Each voting coupon, which will be published at the same time, the readers of the AMERICAN will select six girls whose photographs and physical description show them best fitted for a stage career.

To each of the six pretty girls selected by readers of the BOSTON AMERICAN Mr. Frohman will hand a contract for forty weeks' engagement upon the stage at a salary of $25 a week, making a total outlay of $6,000.

In addition to this Miss Hattie Williams has volunteered to pay the expenses of tuition in singing, dancing and acting to each of the six girls chosen to prepare her better for stage work.

Photographs should be addressed to the Editor of the Charles Frohman American Beauty Contest, BOSTON AMERICAN. On the back of each photograph should be written the full name and address of the competitor, and her height and the color of her hair and eyes. Should these details be forgotten publication in case of the applicant's failure,

TEXTILE ART CONTEST ENDS

President C. C. Ferris of the Gilchrist Company yesterday awarded the cash prizes offered by the company in their fifth annual embroidery contest. This year's contest was highly successful. The classes worked under the instruction of Miss Helen R. Hobbs of Lowell. Among the striking pieces of embroidery entered in the contest was a handsome lacquer, worked by Mrs. M. L. Jones, a Boston woman, 85 years old. Mrs. E. Orcutte of Somerville worked nineteen separate pieces with her left hand, and Miss Alice F. Cambridge made a shoe coat worth $100.

Prizes and honorable mention as follows: In the order named: Pillows, Mrs. Ida Williams of Roxbury, Mrs. Margaret Rooke of Chelsea and Mrs. M. L. Jones of Chelsea; centrepieces, Mrs. G. W. Ford of Chelsea, Miss Laona Robbins of Wollaston, and Mrs. W. Kempton of Malden; lace pieces, Mrs. Matilda Langmaid of Hyde Park and Mrs. J. C. Bowles of Dorchester; Mr. Mathew Jansen, Miss Amelie Hackett of Tewksbury and Miss Mary Hurley of Boston; lamp shades, Miss Nora Hurley of Boston, Mrs. A. M. Pease of Winchester and Mrs. F. A. Flint of Wollaston; collars and lodge pillows, Mrs. C. E. Smith of Dorchester, Miss Molly Schaffer of Roxbury and Mrs. B. Benson of Somerville. Mrs. Langmaid, who won the first prize for lace pieces, made a very fine old Battenberg tablecloth. The prizes totaled over $200. The contest closed March 16, 1908, to February 1, 1909.

Honorable mention was awarded as follows: Pillows, Mrs. A. T. Warren of Boston, Mrs. John McKinley of Lowell and Miss Molly Schaffer of Roxbury; Mrs. H. W. Packard of Dorchester, Mrs. G. H. Perry of Everett, Mrs. C. F. Jones of Boston and Mrs. Tilla Lauderman of Roxbury; Mrs. S. Gifford of Hockley, pictures, Mrs. E. T. Cassidy of Dorchester; crochet centre, Miss C. Wentworth Woodford; table covers, Mrs. G. M. Hasty of Everett.

Dr. Lyon's PERFECT Tooth Powder

Cleanses, beautifies and preserves the teeth and purifies the breath

Used by people of refinement for almost Half a Century

MRS. J. J. M'CARTHY DIES IN CAMBRIDGE

Mrs. John H. McCarthy, aged forty-four, sister of Rev. P. R. Murphy of the Church of the Holy Rosary, South Boston, wife of a well-known Cambridge resident for fifteen years, is dead.

She was, for many years a school teacher at Natick and in Boston.

Mrs. McCarthy was for many years identified with Catholic charities, notably the bazaars in aid of the Carney Hospital.

MANAGERS FAVOR STAGE CENSORSHIP

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Because of agitation by the pulpit over alleged immoral plays being produced on the American stage, it is likely a meeting of theatrical managers will soon be called to consider the establishment of a censorship, Daniel Frohman and A. L. Erlanger say they would welcome the movement. Charles Frohman says he believes existing statutes should regulate the tone of plays.

BOSTON MEN PUT ON RACK IN BEEF PROBE

Seven Boston and New England beef men have been summoned to Chicago, five of whom are already on their way, to testify before the Federal Grand Jury in another beef trust investigation which it is believed will land some of the magnates "highest up" in jail.

The startling declaration is made that the federal authorities have discovered that Swift & Company has formed a $10,000,000 beef combine in five of the New England States. It is charged that this combination includes tanneries, as well as packing and provision houses, thus completing the most sweeping form of trust that has yet been formed.

Subpoenas Served.

Here are the men who were served yesterday with subpoenas by United States Marshal Guy Murchie and reach Chicago to-day:

Charles Ayer, former general agent for Morris & Co. in New England.

James Young, Jr., a bookkeeper of the Clinton market branch of George N. Chamberlain & Co.

Warren H. Church, a bookkeeper for the New England Poultry & Egg Company, in which Herbert & Co. are said to have a controlling interest.

Herbert Stewart, manager of the Brockton branch of Morris & Co.

George D. Mason, former manager of the Atlantic avenue branch of Chamberlain & Co.

Chamberlain to Testify.

The two other men called to testify in Chicago are George N. Chamberlain, the present head of the Chamberlain firm in this city, and his father, Willard N. Chamberlain.

The former Mr. Chamberlain has received permission to extend the time for his departure for Chicago until next week. The latter has very poor health, and it is expected that he will be excused from making the trip to testify.

When the Grand Jury has created a great sensation in packing in New England, word has reached here that it is the intention of the Grand Jury to indict every packing man guilty of a violation of the anti-Sherman law, and that they will not be allowed to go free after the payment of fines.

United States District Attorney Sims, who is prosecuting the inquiry, is acting under explicit and positive orders of the President, according to dispatches from Chicago, and he says that 'No guilty man will be allowed to escape."

Firms in Alleged Trust.

In the $10,000,000 Swift deal that has been unearthed in New England, which surprised and shocked the authorities, who thought the laws were being obeyed, the following firms are said to be included:

North Packing & Provision Company of Somerville, including the John P. Squire & Co. concern.

White, Peavey & Dexter Co. of Worcester.

Springfield Provision Company of Bright wood, controlled by the North Packing & Provision Company.

National Calf Skin Company of Boston.

A. C. Lawrence Leather Company of Boston.

Winchester Tannery Company of Boston.

Strong, Barnes & Hatt Co. of New Haven.

Consolidated Rendering Company of Boston.

New England Dressed Meat & Wool Company of Boston.

SCHOOL OPEN DESPITE ORDER OF THE MAYOR

LOWELL, Feb. 11.—The Lowell School Board to-day refused to close the schools on Lincoln Day, in spite of a positive order from Mayor Brown to that effect. Following the Mayor's order, Dr. J. E. Lamoureux, chairman of the school committee, called on the chief executive and announced the decision of the board.

Yesterday Mayor Brown sent word to the committee that he wanted the schools closed along with the other city departments. The committee considered the matter, and replied that it had decided not to close the schools on account of the programs that had been prepared for Friday's sessions.

Superintendent Whitcomb and Mayor Brown met in the Mayor's office to-day. The Mayor was clearly out of sorts because of the committee's action. They argued for a few moments, during which time the Mayor became greatly excited. Finally he was heard to say: "I order you to close the schools."

To which Superintendent Whitcomb quietly replied: "I will submit your order to the committee."

Mayor Brown immediately put the order in writing and the following is what he gave the chairman of the committee:

"You are hereby ordered to close the public schools, Friday, the 12th, in observance of Abraham Lincoln's birthday. I am of the opinion that the people of our city desire to have this sacred anniversary observed in an appropriate manner, and as the schools are closed on other days of lesser importance, I can see no reason why my wishes in this matter are not carried out. While the School Board is allowed by statute to direct its action in cases of this kind, this board as well as every other department comes within the jurisdiction of the chief executive of the city. I trust that there will be no friction or misunderstanding on the part of your board in carrying out my instructions.

"(SIGNED) H. BROWN, Mayor."

TEXTILE SCHOOL GROWING.

The Committee on Education gave a hearing this morning on the bill providing an appropriation of $25,000 for the work of the Bradford Durfee Textile School of Fall River. Increased attendance calls for a larger appropriation. There was no opposition.

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Rengo Has Solved the Problem of Fat Reduction Without Starvation Diet or Tiresome Exercises.

We Gladly Send an Trial Box Free to All.

Rengo is perfectly safe. You eat as like fruit as you want each meal and reduce just as a good rate.

You will never need anything else to reduce yourself perfectly normal in a short time.

For sale by all druggists at $1.00 per full sized box, or by mail from the Rengo Co., 2712 Rengo Bldg., Detroit, Mich. The company will gladly send you a trial package free by mail if you write them direct to Detroit; no free packages at drug stores.

Rengo is for sale in Boston by Eiler, Jarvis Drug Co., Raymond, Houghton & Dutton Co., Hall & Ruddy Co., Washington and Essex Sts.; Wright & Dietrich, 100 Tremont St.; W. R. Hodgdon, 507 Washington St.; Gale Mass. Ave., Cambridge, and J. Pinsent St., Malden.

Filene's AUTHENTIC STYLE Washington and Winter Sts.

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The Tunnel Bargain Basement

No Other Store in the World Like This.

Friday, February 12:

Out of hundreds of lots for Friday, here are just a few examples:

Women's 32.50 Taffeta Lined Suits of Light Weight Worsted, 18.95

Women's 18.50 to 25.00 Bengaline, Tussah, and Ponge Dresses, 9.95

Misses' 25.00 Taffeta Lined Suits of Light Weight Serge, 16.35

Women's 11.50 One Piece Linen Dresses, 5.20

Women's 1.50 Chemises, 78c

Women's 1.00 and 1.25 Gowns, 78c

Women's 2.45 Taffeta Finish Petticoats, 79c

Women's 1.50 White Skirts, 78c

Women's Lisle Thread Hosiery, 25c "seconds," 11c

Women's 75c and 89c Messaline and Net Ruffs, 45c

Women's 35c Outsize Cotton Hosiery, 22c

New Lots of Goods Every Day.

No Other Store Like This in the World

The Automatic Price Reductions

We expect the first price will sell out the lot. By any chance should part of a lot remain unsold at the end of two weeks

Then begin the Automatic Price Reductions:

Beginning 3d Week—1-4 Reduction

Then—should any be left—

Beginning 4th Week—1-2 Reduction

Then—should any be left—

Beginning 5th Week—3-4 Reduction

All should be sold by this time. Should any be left, however,

They will be given away.

NOTE: Every price tag is stamped with the date the article was received, so that it will be very clear just what the proper reduction should be in every instance.

Small lots of merchandise that, under the above rules, have not sold will be given away to some charitable institution, this week, and every week hereafter. It will probably happen many weeks that there will be no merchandise left to give away.

Reductions taking place every day. See to-day's new prices on lots not advertised.

The Filene guarantee of dependable quality with everything sold here.

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John Hancock

MUTUAL.

Life Insurance Company

OF BOSTON

FORTY-SIXTH ANNUAL STATEMENT

Condition as of December 31st, 1908

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Mortgage Loans (first liens)	$17,784,269.83	Net Premium Reserve	$48,992,098.00
Policy Loans and Premium Notes	3,556,308.72	Policy Claims in course of settlement, including deferred instalment payments	375,391.55
Real Estate (Book Value)	3,671,113.13	Liability, contingent and otherwise, for dividends on policies	651,751.29
Bonds at Market Value Dec. 31st	28,723,108.94	Prepaid Premiums and Interest	193,759.28
Cash in Banks at Interest	924,447.61	State Taxes Accrued	216,125.04
Net Premiums deferred and in course of collection	1,357,076.23	All other Liabilities	282,813.83
Other Admitted Assets	838,914.24	Surplus, or Safety Fund	6,143,299.71
Total Admitted Assets	$56,855,238.70	Total	$56,855,238.70

Gain in Assets 1908 **$8,765,612.17**

Gain in Income 1908 **$1,052,652.49**

Gain in Outstanding Insurance 1908 **$25,551,728.00**

Twenty Years' Growth

	INCOME	ASSETS	SURPLUS
1888	$1,480,163.00	$3,317,224.00	$272,810.00
1908	$20,496,613.00	$56,855,239.00	$6,143,300.00

BOYS' AND GIRLS' CLUBS HONOR LINCOLN IN OLD FANEUIL HALL TONIGHT

Patriotic Boston does not wait for to-morrow to celebrate Lincoln Day. To-day in the schools, at public meetings and at banquets, peans of praise are sung in honor of the great Emancipator, twenty-four hours in advance of the centenary of his birth.

As befitting the character of the occasion, the principal observance to-day is in Faneuil Hall. Under the auspices of the Fraternal Welfare League the boys' and girls' clubs of this city hold exercises at 8 o'clock to-night.

The prominent speakers who pay tribute to the martyred President include Mayor Hibbard, Lincoln Steffens, Mrs. Sophie Loque Egan, Rabbi Charles Fleischer, Joseph Lee and Meyer Bloomfield. Patriotic songs will be rendered by a chorus of 150 voices.

Lincoln's memory will be honored appropriately at the forty-first annual banquet of the Bowdoin Alumni Association, with speeches by President Hyde, Professor Joseph H. Beale of Harvard, Dr. Ira A. Robinson, Professor Allen Johnson and Benjamin F. Trueblood.

At the Boston evening schools Civil War veterans and others speak to-morrow, and the North American League of Immigrants on the "Life of Lincoln."

Previous to the regular literary program of the Wednesday civic meetings will pay tributes to-day to the great President.

Great Boston Meeting.

No more elaborate anniversary programme was ever planned in Boston than that which will be followed here to-morrow. Lincoln's birthday is not a legal holiday, but all of the schools in this city and most of those throughout the State will observe a half-holiday with exercises in all.

The celebration of the 100th anniversary of Lincoln's birth to-morrow extends to every city and hamlet in the nation—even in the South his memory is revered, for though he was the conqueror of the Confederacy, the people south of Mason and Dixon's line can never forget the Union justice shown by him at the time of the surrender of Lee and in the plans formed for the reconstruction of the Union.

President Roosevelt left Washington by special train at 9:00 to-day for Springfield, Ill., to participate in the exercises on the scene of Lincoln's birth. He will be a conspicuous and officially dedicate "Lincoln farm," and then return to Washington, stopping off for a few minutes at Beren College.

South Joins in Honor to Mayor.

The leading event in Boston will be the great meeting in Symphony Hall, where the committees named by Mayor Hibbard will present an unusually fine programme. John D. Long, former Governor and one time Secretary of the Navy, will deliver the oration, and a chorus of 500 voices will sing under the direction of R. J. Hill. Instrumental music will be rendered by the Symphony Orchestra.

Another important observance of the day will be at the banquet of the Middlesex Club at the Hotel Bellevue, when George Reves of Concord, who was present at the impressive which nominated Lincoln for the presidency, will be among the speakers. Others include Congressman Landis of Indiana and John S. Wise of New York.

At 1 o'clock a quintette of cornetists will peal forth from the belfry of the famous Park Street Church the strains of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "America."

Governor Draper to Preside.

Among the notable guests coming here for the celebration is Booker T. Washington, who speaks at the Lincoln night of the Boston City Club this evening. Governor Draper will preside.

Here is the programme of events to-morrow:

Lincoln stamps go on sale at the Boston postoffices.

Boston public library, exhibit of portraits, manuscripts, books, etc., relating to Lincoln.

Lincoln day exercises in the public schools, addresses by G. A. R. veterans, dactylogram address of President Lincoln to be read in every school.

Joint session of the State Legislature with address by United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge.

Massachusetts D. A. R. luncheon in honor of Vice President Sherman at its memorial service.

Citizens play from the belfry of the Park Street Church.

Massachusetts D. A. R. memorial service in Second Church, Copley square.

Women's Educational and Industrial Union, open house and public exercises.

William McKinley circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., service in Odd Fellows' Hall, Everett.

Children's exercises in armory of Lawrence Light Guard, Medford.

Exercises about Lincoln monument in Park square by Grand United Order of Odd Fellows, with parade from North Russell street to the Lincoln monument.

Symphony Hall—Municipal celebration—Hon. John D. Long, orator, chorus of 500 voices, directed by R. J. Hill; instrumental music by Symphony Orchestra.

Middlesex Club banquet, Brunswick Hotel, Representative Landis of Indiana, Hon. John S. Wise of New York and Hon. George Keyes of Concord, speakers.

High School exercises throughout the city. Special Lincoln Day exercises in Chapman Grammar school, Cambridge.

University Club—Mayor Brand Whitlock of Toledo, orator, and speech by Abraham Lincolnians.

Temple Ohabei Shalom, patriotic exercises, with ex-Governor John L. Bates as orator.

Y. P. S. C. E. of Avon holds exercises in Congregational Church.

Hitchcock, Lincoln Day oration by General Morris Schaff.

Lexington Historical Society holds exercises in Town Hall.

Special Lincoln night of Knights of Pythias at Salem, lodges from Salem, Beverly, Danvers, Peabody, Marblehead and Ipswich attending. Addresses by Robert Bridman, P. C. C., and Rev. C. Ralph Magee of Iowa.

Post 156, G. A. R., exercises in Y. M. C. A. Hall, Everett.

Lynn Republican Club, Casino Hall, Senator William E. Borah of Idaho and Hon. Samuel J. Elder speakers.

"YOU'RE IN THE RIGHT CHURCH, BUT THE WRONG PEW."

Great song hit—Everybody sings it—Everybody whistles it. This will be the only chance to get it without cost

FREE NEXT SUNDAY'S AMERICAN

HELD FOR BURGLARY.

Charged with breaking and entering and larceny, James MacDonald of the South End was held for the Grand Jury by Judge Ely in the Central Police Court to-day.

3,000 WOMEN IN BIG REVIVAL NOON MEETING

More than 3,000 women packed Tremont Temple at the noon meeting to-day, and took part in the revival service conducted by Dr. Chapman and Mr. Alexander.

The meeting was exclusively for women and hundreds of shoppers and girls variously employed in the city were late for the first time to get in and attend the service.

It was an inspiring sight when the whole audience arose and mingled their voices in an outpouret of gospel singing. Following the song service, Dr. Chapman preached an impressive sermon. Many of the women in the audience wept softly as the preacher talked them to God.

The feature of the early part of the meeting was the solo singing of Miss Goldie, ten years of age, of No. 1 Noble street, Roxbury. She was dressed in a blue pinafore. She sang in a sweet, tender voice several verses of the gospel hymn, "Looking This Way."

Song Delights Great Throng.

The little girl had sung in Liverpool, it was announced, and her solo also was converted through the singing of the hymn with which she delighted the great audience.

Ernest W. Naftzger sang "Give Me Jesus." It was announced that the words of this gospel song are written by Mary Bernard Colbert, a member of the choir in Philadelphia.

When the noon hour was reached every seat and foot of standing room in the Temple had been taken. Hundreds of girls who did not get out from their work until noon were turned away at the door.

Many of the women remained after the meeting as though they had been at the theatre.

"I want a young woman to stand up and sing a verse of a hymn," said Mr. Alexander. "Do it and Dr. Chapman will give you a copy of his sermons."

"Sing it, announced Dr. Chapman, "and Mr. Alexander will give you one of his gospel song books."

Asks Prayers for Boy.

Mrs. C. P. Goodson, a daughter of Dr. Chapman, sang a verse and then all of the congregation arose and sang, "Pass Me Not, O Gentle Saviour."

Prayers were asked by a widowed mother for her wandering boy.

Prayers were asked for a man who had quit drinking and had gone back to the habit again.

Prayers were asked for a man who drove his team from home because he refused to become a Christian and the son was drowned.

Dr. A. Z. Conrad was back at his post as chairman to-day. He has been suffering from bronchitis. His voice was weak, but he appeared to be in fine spirits.

William McKeown sang "Save One," tenor solo, in a very effective way.

The sermon of Dr. Chapman followed.

"Need Never Despair."

The sermon was from the text: "And he said, Lord, there was a woman." For eighteen years, and she was bowed down and could not lift herself up." From the sermon of the thirteen chapter of St. Luke's gospel.

Dr. Chapman said in part: "This was a hopeless case. She failed. Physicians failed. But it proves that no one need ever despair. No one can dethrone the power of Jesus Christ. This is one of the illustration of uplifted humanhood. Miracles are windows through which shine the divine. Jesus said: 'You can get rid of your besetting sin, although you are a hopeless case and break away.'

"This miraculous cure is an illustration of the overflowing ministry of Jesus, for the woman touched but the ragged garment, and the virtue passed out from Him.

"All through the New Testament we find similar cases, as when, sitting on the curb of Jacob's well, He talked to the woman and then again raised the dead boy to life to the mother. Over and over again we find those experiences of His overflowing love. If you want to be Christians, you must do likewise. Unless you feel pity and sympathy for sin and the sinner you fail to heal some aching heart, to relieve the distressed, to give strength to those that need you, you are not following His divine example.

"Ask God to Help You."

"This woman, with her infirmity, is an illustration of a person bowed down with jealousy, or pride, or worldliness, or sin, that she will not tell of. I allow no man to surpass me in saying nothing to your sex but in sin there is no sex distinction. What about the woman that will not heed the Sunday school, and has not for years had the maternal influence for good in her hand; that cannot help her brother. Jesus knows where and how you sin, and you know.

"I am not speaking harshly, but speaking truly. Those that have had the talent has you bound. Ask God to help you to be free. God is able to give you the uttermost. Where we fail He will give us the victory. Where we are weak He will make us strong.

"The girl with her heartache, with perplexity, can find deliverance in Him. There are to many left-handed Christians. They are not joyous, not filled to overflowing; not filled with peace. There is a way out of every perplexity.

"Card playing, dancing and the theatres are symptoms. Physicians do not prescribe symptoms. I ask you if you are allowing this Christ to occupy your Bible that you will be tempting, trial and disappointment, but let it stir his heart to you and impart His matchless strength into you, and you can stand and face temptation and meet disappointment.

"There Are Two Peters."

"Stop losing your temper. Stop saying naked things. Stop saying other people miserable. Don't be harsh in your judgments. You call yourself Christians, but you are not doing the things I command. Your heart is not right. Your life is the test. Look at the disciples after Pentecost. They had life, peace and joy, yet they denied him, forsook him and he stayed him.

"There are two Peters. One man always forgetting and failing and breaking His commandments, and the other showing steadfast when the waves of unbelief surged around him. One was a self-controlled; the second the self-spirit controlled. What God claims I will give you a charge, all I have. What I yield God accepts. What God accepts He fills and what he fills he uses, and it becomes beautiful."

"The Busiest Corner on Boston's Busiest Street."

Friday Arrow Sale

Every Friday we hold an Arrow Sale, when we mark down for quick selling all odd lots, broken sizes, single pieces, samples, goods soiled or crushed in handling or used in window displays, and goods that for any reason have been slow in selling.

By this method we are able to keep our stocks fresh, clean and correct in every way.

NOTE:—It is not what you pay, but what you receive that counts. Owing to the prevalence of exaggerated comparisons in Boston, comparative values in this advertisement have been purposely omitted.

THREE AVERAGE EXAMPLES:

8 Broadcloth Evening Capes, representing some of the smartest of present styles in an assortment of colors $7.50

Muslin Curtains, made with five tucks and finished with Honiton edge and insertion, offered for clearance Friday 65c

6 Chiffon Panama Skirts, of cynical models, in black only, some full pleited, others finished with folds and silk ornaments $3.75

73 Other Values Not Advertised, Nearly as Good.

Follow the Arrows——Value—Not Price

James A. Houston Company

P. B. MAGRANE, Pres. P. B. MAGRANE, Treas

Golden West Cafeteria

FOR MEN AND WOMEN

OPENS Lincoln's Birthday, Friday Feb. 12.

Our aim for your patronage is pure, wholesome, well-cooked foods, served under sanitary, congenial surroundings, where everything is clean, fresh and inviting.

YOUR PATRONAGE SOLICITED

3 Kingston Street
Cor. Summer.

To reach Wolf's "My Clothier," cor. Hanover and Portland streets, by the Washington street tunnel, passengers going south should leave at Friend street exit; those going north at Union street.

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ON SALE BARGAIN FRIDAY—NOT ON SALE TODAY

Boston's Finest Restaurant, Fifth Floor

HENRY SIEGEL CO.

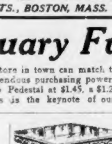
WASHINGTON AND ESSEX STS., BOSTON, MASS. BUILDING FIREPROOF THROUGHOUT

Don't Fail to See the LINCOLN CENTENNIAL WINDOW DISPLAY Friday or Saturday

February Furniture Sale--Special Savings

No other store in town can match the bargains that we advertise and illustrate here. Such savings are only possible through the tremendous purchasing power of the Siegel chain of stores, thus we are able to offer a $20.00 All Brass Bed at $14.90, a $4.75 Pedestal at $1.45, a $1.25 Umbrella Stand at 69c, a $3.50 Parlor Table at $2.45, etc. The best values at the lowest prices in the keynote of our February Furniture's Sale Success.

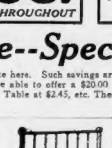
1.00 Standing Mission Hall Tabourette, 12-in. top. Each 59c



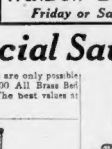
$1.25 Mission Clocks—ready to deliver at once—8-day, strike, oak finish, 11-in. high, each $3.50

This $3.50 Beautifully Polished Parlor Table, in both finishes, 24-inch top. A $3.50 value, Sale Price $2.45

$4.75 Pedestals—golden oak finish only 100. Each $1.45



This All Brass Bed—A genuine $20.00 Bed, in all sizes, with 2-inch posts, satin finish, handsomely polished. Sale Price $14.90



$12.00 Solid Oak Dresser—50 inches wide, 24 inches deep, 3 large drawers, 3 small drawers, French plate, bevel-edge mirror, 10x20 inches. Each $7.95

$1.25 Umbrella Stands—Mission design, oak finish, size 9 3/4 in. x 13 1/2 in., only 100 and no more. Each 69c

$10.00 Iron Bed—Has 1-in. posts at head and foot, 6 brass ornaments and the fillers are clustered in an entirely new manner. Each $6.95

$15 Dressers..$10.75
$25 Dressers..$17.50

Hat Pins

50c to 75c Hat Pins

25¢

$1 to $1.50 Hat Pins

50¢

Largest selection of Hat Pins ever shown in Boston—over 5 Styles in Boston will be found in our Jewelry Section on the Fourth Floor—Rhinestone Hat Pins, in Button, Knob and Spike effects. Oriental designs in large beveled creations, and Rhinestone Combinations—all extraordinary values at 25c and 50c. One-half and one-third price.

Main Floor

Children's Stockings

25c Children's Hosiery — Medium weight, fine rib cotton, made with fashioned foot, double heels, soles and toes, fast black and stainless, at 14c

Children's Underwear

25c Underwear—for Misses and Children, India gauze vests, high neck, short sleeves and knee pants, special, at 11c

Main Floor

Women's Hosiery

75c Gauze Lisle Stockings—Made from finest Sea Island Yarn with spliced selvedge, extra double soles, spliced heels and toes, Hermsdorf dye, pair 37½c

35c Stockings—Light, medium and heavy weight cotton, lisle and silk lisle, made with garter tops, double heels, soles and toes, black 18c

Women's 25c Stockings—Fine gauze lisle, made with garter tops, double heels, soles and toes, fast black and stainless, slightly imperfect, pair 14c

Main Floor

Knit Underwear

20c Pants—Light weight, full bleached, knee and ankle length, all sizes, at 15c

$1.00 Hand Crocheted Underwear—Medium weight, silk cotton, high neck, long and short sleeve, knee and ankle length pants, ... 55c

$1.25 Union Suits—Light weight, lisle thread, high neck, long and short sleeves, low neck sleeveless, and wing sleeve, knee length, at 75c

Main Floor

Be Sure to Read What the Infants' Dept. Offers

Friday and Saturday for little boys and girls from 2 to 6 years old.

69c Chambray Dresses—Dainty colored, in or blood, tan, blue and green, Russian or French style, trimmed with piping of white braid and buttons, sizes 2 to 5 years, special 49c

69c Lawn Guimpes—White, sizes 6 to 14 years, trimmed with clusters of fine tucking and rows of insertion between, neck and sleeves trimmed with hemstitched ruffle, special 49c

$1.50 Suits for Boys—White and colored Wash Suits, with pants, Russian style, trimmed with bands of contrasting colors, sizes 2, 3 and 4 years, at 89c

$1.50 Wash Dresses—For little girls, pretty plaid ginghams, sizes 3 to 6 years, Gretchen style, square neck and short sleeves 89c

Second Floor

Kimonos

68c Dressing Sacques—Made of cotton crepe and challie; also kimonos trimmed with plain and Persian satins, at 39c

$1.50 Long Kimonos—Of figured flannelette, finished with Persian borders, special 98c

Second Floor

Men's ½ Hose

19c ½ Hose—Medium and heavy weight, cotton, fast black and tan, at 11c

Men's 35c ½ Hose—Medium weight, cotton and silk lisles, made with double heels, soles and toes, deep elastic rib top, a few lace effects, fast black and tan, 3 pairs 18c

50c, pair 18c

Main Floor

Ribbon Remnants

19c and 25c Ribbon remnants and Short ends, 3½ to 5 inches wide, yd 12½c

Second Floor

Hair Nets

Reg. Price,		Now
25c	Extra large—Allover style, all shades.	2 for 25c

50c Silk Elastic Belting, black and colors, yard 39c
5c Buttonhole Twist, spool 1c
3c India Roll Tape, roll 2c
5c Pearl Buttons, 2 doz 3c
10c Pin Cubes, each 5c
5c Collar Supporters, 3 cards 10c

Main Floor

Sale of Glassware 15c Each

GOBLETS, COCKTAILS, ALES, WATER TUMBLERS, PUNCH GLASSES, FINGER BOWLS, SHERRIES, WHISKEYS, TALL CHAMPAGNES, SAUCER CHAMPAGNES

Formerly $2.95 to $5.50 Per Dozen

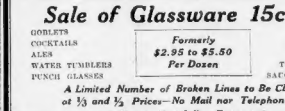
A Limited Number of Broken Lines to Be Closed Out at ⅓ and ½ Prices—No Mail nor Telephone Orders

Henry Siegel Co.—Basement.

Just to advertise Our Kitchen Furnishing Dept. Friday, we will sell *on one day only*, two thousand pieces, consisting of a mixed assortment of

75c and 1.00 Imported Enamel Ware at 25c

Some pieces are all white inside and outside—some are blue outside and white inside—All covered pieces have enamelled covers. No mail or telephone orders.



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25c	25c	25c	25c	25c	25c	25c	25c

Henry Siegel Co.—Basement.

SILKS

Sale of Mill Ends and Sample Pieces

Remnants of Silks, sold everywhere at 59c up to $1.50 per yd.—For fancy work, millinery, trimmings, waists, skirts and whole dresses, all fashionable weaves, including this season's showerproof foulards, messalines, peau de cygnes, fancy silks and black silks of all kinds. Sale prices per yard,

28c, 38c and 58c

59c White Habutai—Imported, washable, 36 inches wide, fine, 39c heavy quality, at, yd 39c

$1.00 Rough Pongee Silk—Popular, natural color, all pure silk, special, yd 48c

39c Black Taffeta Silk—For linings and drop skirts, good quality, bright lustre, special, yd 38c

Main Floor

Embroideries

Values up to 75c—Sample strips on Swiss, cambric and nainsook, all kinds and widths, yard, 25c, 19c, 15c, 10c and 5c

50c Embroidered Bands—Blind and eyelet effects, 2½ to 5 inches wide, very desirable for women's and children's wear, at, yd 21c

Main Floor

Laces

Values up to 25c yard—Wide cluny and torchon edges and insertions, yard ..... 10c & 5c

Values up to 50c—Platte Vals., imitation Duchess and Point de Paris edges and insertions, yard,

25c, 15c & 10c

Values up to 85c yard—White, ecru and cream spot nets for waists and guimpes, so much worn this season, yard 39c

Main Floor

Candies

50c and 60c Assorted Chocolates, 33 kinds, at, lb 31c

10c package Listerated gum 5c

Assorted Hearts — Assorted flavors, three sizes, 5c to 15c at ..... 5c to 15c

Main Floor

Photo Studio

FREE 16x20 Brome CRAYON drawn with each dozen of our regular $3 cabinet photos, at

$2.50

For this sale only. *Reg. Price $5.50.*

Seventh Floor

Linens

15c Doilies—Japanese hand drawn work, all linen, 6 inches square, several pretty patterns, at 5c

$1.50 Table Cloths—Hemstitched, heavy weight German Linen, size 89c 8x10, good patterns, at 89c

59c Table Damask—Full bleached, heavy weight, mercerized finish, new and pretty patterns, at 39c

$1.75 Napkins—Bleached, all linen, heavy weight, size 20x20 inches, dozen 1.19

White Goods

17c Checked Lawns—Also plaid white lawns, perfect goods, full pieces, not mill end lengths, for waists, dresses and aprons, at, per yard 10c

$1.50 Longcloth—English Longcloth, 36 inches wide, 12 yards in piece, at 1.19

Sheets

65c Bleached Sheets—Made from fine quality cotton, with 1 inch hems, size 81x90 inches, seamed, at 42c

Main Floor

Wash Goods

12½c Percales—36 inches wide, best quality, from 2 to 10 yards in each piece, light and dark grounds, yard 9c

19c Galateas—Best quality, sold subject to slight imperfection, good assortment of new styles, at, yard 10c

10c Ginghams—Nurses' stripes 6¼c at, yard .....

12½c Seersuckers—Crinkled quality, at, yard 9c

Main Floor

Handkerchiefs

12½c Handkerchiefs—Sheer cross bar material with initial and 50c embroidered wreath, at 6 for .....

12½c Handkerchiefs — Women's All Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, in all widths of hem, at each 7½c

12½c Handkerchiefs—Men's All Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, in various widths of hem, 6 for 50c, each 9c

Men's Large Handkerchiefs — Plain hemstitched, with wide and narrow hems, at each 5c

Main Floor

Best GROCERIES the World Can Produce

The four Grocery Depts. in the four Siegel stores buy and sell more groceries than any other retail organization in the world—we are able to save our customers ¼ to nearly ⅓ on the best the world produces.

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You can order by mail or 'phone Oxford 2000 If you can't come, but if you DO come you'll find many more specials we can't mention here

POUND CAKE

(None delivered.) One own famous 1-lb.-made pound cake, worth 25c lb., special for this sale 2 lbs. for 25c, 1 lbs. limit, lb 12½c

Lima Beans—HAZEL brand, fancy green Lima Beans, very tender, natural color and flavor, puree sold under this special, case 24 cans, $2.10, doz. $1.00, can 14c

Pears—HAZEL brand extra quality Bartlett pears, nothing finer in California fruits, special case $5.25, No. 2½ can 29c

Tomato Catsup—HAZEL brand, guaranteed absolutely pure, large bottle 19c, small bottle 12c

SHOULDERS

Fancy sugar cured and smoked, cut from corn-fed hogs, present market price is less than 10c 8⅞c lb., special, per lb 8⅞c

Smoked Sardines—Quinn Head brand Norwegian sardines, in pure olive oil, key opener, ¼s in Tomato sauce, doz. 8c, can 15c; ¼s in mustard sauce, doz. 15c, can 25c; ¼s plain, doz. 14c

Sliced Peaches—HAZEL brand lemon cling peaches, packed with great care, put up in the finest sugar syrup, doz. $3.85, No. 2½ can 35c, 1½ can 25c

Alaska Whole Wheat Hominy—Ready to eat breakfast food, very nutritious, special, doz. 90c, can 8c

Butterine—Armour & Co. high-grade product, special, per lb 98c

Fish Balls—Very finest imported, large can 21c, 1½ can 11c

California Pea Beans—Fancy hand picked selected stock, 10 lbs 65c

MAPLE SYRUP

Pure Vermont maple syrup, worth $1.40 gallon, special, gallon 98c

Florida Grape Fruit—Very large, thin skinned, juicy and exquisite flavor, worth 25 to 30c doz., special, doz 90c

Peaches—H. A. E. brand, lemon cling, large, luscious California fruit, packed in sugar syrup, doz. $1.45, can 30c

Laundry Soap—Welcome well seasoned and known for its superior washing qualities, 10 3c cakes for 41c

Pan Cake Flour—Aunt Jemima's, makes the finest griddle cakes, muffins and gems, very light, pure and special, 3 for 25c

Soapolite—Increases 3-cake size 2 times, is absolutely nothing finer, full weight carton, special 18c

Whole Head Rice—Fancy Carolina, special 8½c

FLORIDA ORANGES

Very sweet, juicy, delightful flavor, worth 30c doz., special, doz 19c

CHICKEN

75c Whole Roast Special each 50c

Teas—We have just received a new shipment of sample teas, averaging in value, worth from 40c to 50c lb, you may have your choice of Formosa Oolong, English Breakfast, Japan or Indian Ceylon, lb 49c

Coffee—Harmony blend, superior to the very finest Mocha-Java coffee, roasted fresh daily, delivered to order in the bean, special, 3 lbs. $1.00, lb 22c

PRUNES

Fancy Santa Clara, thin skinned, appetizing, good size, lb 5½c

FIG BARS—500 boxes of the very finest Fig Bars, fresh from the ovens, regular 15c quality, special (6 lbs. limit) 7½c

Henry Siegel Co.—Fifth Floor

CHURCH GIRLS SCORE BIG HITS IN PLAY ROLES

Jordan Hall has held some enthusiastic gatherings within the past few years, but it is doubtful if any gathering showed its presence and enthusiasm as did the audience that gathered to witness the initial performance of "The Maid and the Middy," the musical two-act play written by E. K. Stevens and George Lowell Tracy. The entire performance was given without a flaw, and the singing and dancing of the young people was delightful. The show was given by the Choral Society of St. Francis De Sales Church of Roxbury. The book of the play is bright and the opening situations are funny. The music had the true Tracy ring, which embraced the composer in the favorites of the hearts of all.

Of the principals in the cast Miss Gertrude Burns at once attracted attention by her spirited work, which can be handled with good grace. Her solo work was the big treat of the entertainment and she had encores after each of her numbers were of the heartiest kind.

Miss Helen C. Doody was the "maid," and she made a most charming little lassie, with a merry twinkle in her eye and a laugh that would set the heart of any youth beating double quick time. Miss Teresa Kilroy was another favorite and a big share of the evening's applause.

The principal role of Sir Francis de Sales parish looked exceedingly attractive in the naty costumes and was especially pleasing as the "Middy" of the piece. He put considerable dash and vim into their work and all the spirit and go of the particular school girls was evident in their charming parts. James Mee was the "Middy" of the cast, and his boyish spirit and manly bearing made him a big favorite with everyone. Daniel C. Murray made an impressive commodore and as Captain Dasher of Francis C. Murray made an impressive commodore and as Captain Dasher of Francis C. Murray made an impressive commodore and as Captain Dasher of Francis

VALENTINE DAY CARDS FOR 1909 WORKS OF ART

Next Sunday, February 14, is St. Valentine's Day.

The windows of the Boston stores and of all other cities and towns in New England already artistically proclaim the approach of the beloved saint's memorial day.

Many beautiful novelties mark this year's St. Valentine anniversary. Most noticeable is the passing of the old-fashioned, grotesque valentine—the one that had a sting to it.

The latest thing in valentines is the postcard, in many designs. There are the Cupid ante and the Zeppelin, as well as many other attractive specimens of fine printing.

Many stores also offer hand-painted calendars, which make an excellent valentine. The centre of the calender shows a big, red heart, with the head of a man and girl in colors on it.

Lace valentines, of the kind sold for from one cent to twenty-five cents apiece, are as much in vogue this year as ever before. They are practically the same in general design as in preceding years, although the work is of a little finer quality, this being due to improved machinery.

Many new ideas are seen in the small, puzzle valentine. One of these valentines shows a bouquet of cardboard roses. When a string is pulled the pansies disappear and in their place come the words "I love you."

Cupid's Game Novelty.

"Cupid's game," is another novelty. It shows the figure of a boy and a girl. When a string is pulled a tiny cupid goes from the boy's lips across to the girl's lips. This is one of the best sellers now.

Another valentine that is new is called "Cupid's Latest Invention." On this card are two Cupids, an urn, and some broken roses. By turning a wheel the broken roses fade away from sight, and in their place, bright, new roses drop into the urn from Cupid's hands.

"The Mysterious Heart" is new to this season's trade. It is of the fortune-teller type, and is made in the shape of a heart. An arrow stopping at a certain point, tells what is in store for the operator.

"I Love You" Card.

One that is making a hit with children is but an ordinary visiting card, on one side of which is printed "I, O, E, O," and on the other side "I, L, Y, U." Through the center of the card runs a string, which when rolled through one's fingers, makes the card revolve. The whirling card then says, "I Love You."

The Cat and the Umbrella" is of the flat, folding type of valentines. When the valentine opens up it shows a dense paper cat, gazing out contentedly from under a red umbrella. These sell at 25 cents, and are regarded as very cheap, considering the amount of work done on them.

So great is the demand for valentines that practically all of the big stores are devoting several of their counters to displays. The picture stores are also doing a rushing business in valentines, as are the various small shops which make a specialty of post-cards.

WOMAN SUES FOR DOWER RIGHTS

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Claiming that she is entitled to her dower rights in the estate of the late Harry P. Norton of Southampton, L. I., a woman who calls herself Mrs. Elizabeth J. Norton has brought suit in Riverhead against Henry P. Fordham and others as executors of the estate on the ground that she was Norton's common-law wife from January, 1899, until the fall of 1904.

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TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS AND LATEST FINANCIAL NEWS

WALL ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

WALL STREET, New York, Feb. 11.—Most of the traders imagine the market is going to smash because there is going to be tariff revision. Maybe so, but first the market is going to celebrate the inauguration of President Taft. The best people have accumulated stocks and are holding on to them, buying more from the professionals in a quiet way. Those persons who in the past have proved good judges of the market are looking for a material rise from now on until within a week after the inauguration. The stocks they are buying are not being delivered. The short interest is large and is growing. The professionals are strong on December and logic, but the big people have cheap money.

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Last there be any misunderstanding regarding the outlook in the Gould and Harriman lines, let it be understood once and for all that Wabash is the principal company of the Gould system, all the other Gould lines being subsidiary to it. There is no official confirmation of the persistent report that Gould's purpose, logic, but the big people have cheap money.

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The latest word in regard to Harriman is that he may remain in San Antonio perhaps two weeks, taking the baths. He will then go to Mexico to inspect the 900 miles of new road built by the Southern Pacific company. He will meet President Diaz of Mexico, and will hold consultations with business men of the west coast of that republic. His return will be by way of Southern California and the Union Pacific. On his way back he will inspect the new double track of the Union Pacific. This double track will be a surprise to Wall Street. For several years Union Pacific has been building very extensive sidings between Omaha and Cheyenne. These have been built exactly like main tracks, and gangs are now busy putting in the short connections between sidings, so that within two months, or perhaps in six weeks, the Union Pacific will be a double track between those two points.

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The advance in American Smelting & Refining is due to professional operations on the part of a bull pool, in which a well-known Boston operator is said to have a hand. The rise in Smelters has created no enthusiasm in conservative trading circles. While the semi-annual statement is construed by interested parties on the street as good, the fact that a surplus of $1,000,000 was arrived at by deducting only $75,000 for improvement and construction on a property valuation of $87,000,000, is disliked.

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Rumors are again heard that the Rock Island preferred stock will resume dividends within the next three months, and although in conservative banking quarters the idea is discredited, many of the traders profess to believe that their information is correct. Not long ago some of the leading interests in Rock Island were emphatic in stating that dividends on the preferred stock would not be resumed until after the close of the fiscal year, in any event, and might not be even then. It seemed for a considerable time longer. The fact that the company has reached an easier financial position again, as seemed to be indicated by its reported intention to pay off the $8,000,000 maturing notes out of its treasury funds, naturally would create confidence in the dividend prospects, and indeed quite a bit of fresh buying of the stock, as well as of the collateral trust four per cent. bonds.

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BUTTE LEADS LOCAL STOCKS

North Butte and East Butte were the features of the Boston stock market to-day. The trading was of a fairly lively character, although it was contained within narrow bounds. The activity which was noticeable in Isle Royale at the close of yesterday died out somewhat to-day and the stock was off ¼ to 31¾ at the opening. East Butte was the most prominent feature and 13¾ was registered on the stock. The general list was quiet and without interest.

Boston Stock Exchange, Thursday, February 11, 1909.

Sales of listed and unlisted securities at the Boston Stock Exchange to-day:

Sales from 10:30 to 11:00 a. m.

BONDS.

$1000 Am. Tel. Cr. 4s..... 95

STOCKS.

100 Adventure..... 8¾
50 Amalgamated..... 71⅝
285 do..... 71⅝
25 do..... 71⅝
270 Atlantic..... 11½
50 do..... 11⅝
100 do..... 11⅝
25 Am. Zinc & L..... 25
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50 Michigan..... 71
50 Mercur..... 1
100 Arizona Com..... 18¾
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DRISCOLL HAS EASY TIME WITH LEACH CROSS

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

ATTELL NAMES NEW CONDITIONS FOR DRISCOLL BOUT

DID M'FARLAND FEAR HYLAND?

By W. W. NAUGHTON.

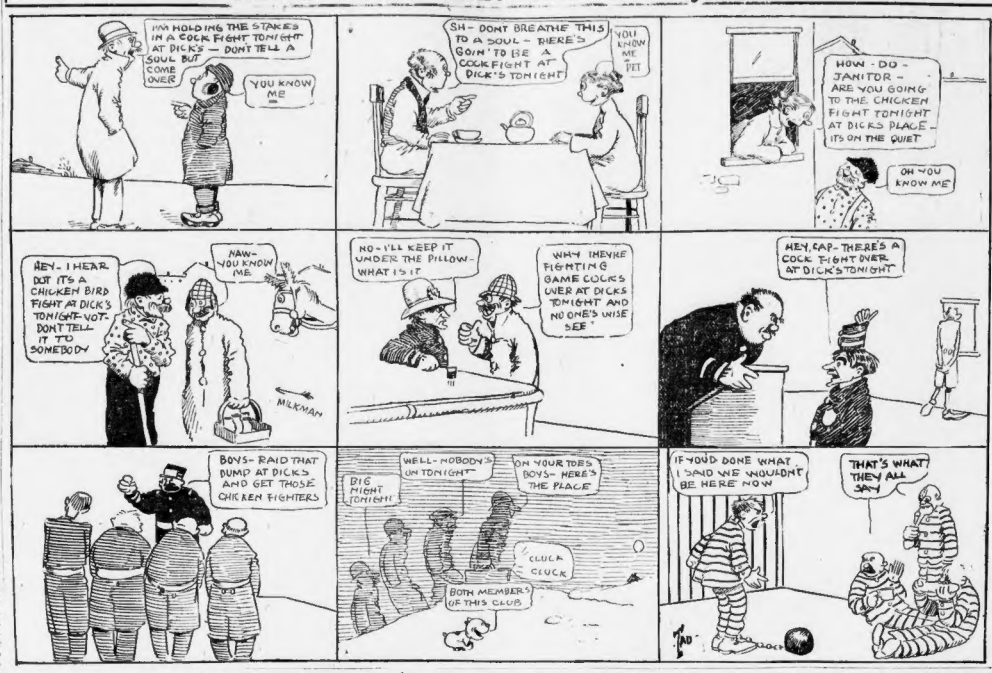
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 11.—Those who were left in the lurch by Packy McFarland's sudden flight to Chicago are taking a very unfavorable view of the famous lightweight's action. McFarland gave out that he made up his mind to start for home on receiving disturbing news in regard to his mother's health. Promoter Jim Coffroth and Manager Britt and Perkins say that this is an bosh—that Packy flew the coop because he had made up his mind that he could not train down to 133 pounds to fight Dick Hyland.

Perkins, who manages Dick Hyland, said: "The plain truth is McFarland is afraid of Hyland. They went ten rounds in Los Angeles with Hyland improving every round, and I have no doubt when Packy thought it over he was sorry he agreed to go twenty-five rounds with Dick on Washington's birthday. He knew he would be beaten. As matters stand, we will claim one-half of the forfeit money."

Jim Coffroth said: "He declared himself out in a very peculiar manner. He trumped up a story that his mother was sick, and I say this advisedly. There is nothing in the sickness story. McFarland simply ran out. Gilmore is liable for a forfeit of $500, and by the laws of sportdom he should make good."

Gilmore still insists that it was bad news from Chicago that drove McFarland away from San Francisco. He says he supposes McFarland is indebted to Coffroth to some extent, but that he considers the forfeiture too big a fine.

THAT'S WHAT THEY ALL SAY--By Tad



RACING LIKELY AT READVILLE

Readville will likely again be the scene of Grand Circuit and other light harness races this year. And so the famous track won't be cut up in building lots after all. At a meeting between a committee appointed by the New England Breeders' Association, empowered to dispose of the Readville track property, composed of Colonel John E. Thayer, Ralph B. Williams and Chester W. Lasell and A. J. Welch, proprietor of Charter Oak Park, Hartford, held in this city, the sale of the Readville track by the New England Trotting Horse Breeders' Association to Mr. Welch was practically agreed upon. Mr. Welch was willing to take the property at the price asked by the committee, and the representatives of the association were ready to accept his offer.

Charles M. Jewett is to be retained as the working manager. Welch and Jewett will make a team that will keep the rest of the track people up to something every minute.

Handicap racing will be the feature under the new management. If the Grand Circuit meeting is confined to a couple of days, handicaps and the American Horse Breeders' three futurity races will complete the programme. Welch, however, is already planning on a week, for he has no faith in the ability of the people interested at Long Branch to secure the required financial backing.

Mr. Welch did not complete the details of the proposed sale and several minor matters remain to be completed. Secretary Jewett said that if the deal was consummated the property would be purchased outright by the Connecticut horseman, and would not mean the payment of the proposed $5,000 annual rental for a term of five years.

HAYES CAN RACE DORANDO

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Harry Pollok, one of the promoters of Marathon races in the Garden, issued the following statement: "There have been several published statements recently to the effect that Johnny Hayes had been barred from taking part in Marathon races in the Garden and that Dorando will not give him another race. If Hayes was barred, so far as we are concerned, he would have no one to blame but himself, and no one knows this better than Hayes. The truth of the matter, however, is very far from the impression that Hayes has evidently conveyed to his friends. Dorando has twice since his match with Hayes in the Garden last Thanksgiving eve offered to give him a return match, once in a match promoted by Tim Hurst in St. Louis and again in Chicago, when the proposition for Dorando to race there was first broached. In each instance Hayes declined that he was not in condition to run.

"If Hayes is so anxious for a match and is confident that he can defeat Dorando, he is seems to be from his public announcements, he can sign any time he wants to race the Italian, winner take all. Maybe Hayes will not be anxious for a return match along these lines."

Hayes is now under the management of Charles J. Harvey, who has control of the English pugilists, Jim Driscoll and Owen Moran.

WELCH AFTER THE BATTLER

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 11.—Freddie Welch, the English scrapper, who is here for his bout with Young Erne of Philadelphia, has posted $2,000 as a forfeit to meet Battling Nelson in a 45-round bout.

The only condition is that the fight must take place before May 1, as Welch says he will leave for London on that day in order to meet the winner of the Britt-Summers fight.

TO INSURE CLUBS AGAINST WEATHER

Rain, snow, hail and cold are not likely to prove such a terror to baseball clubs in the future as they have in the past, plans are now on foot whereby it is hoped to insure every game of baseball scheduled against weather conditions. The biggest insurance company in England can keep up the scheme, and data is now being secured so that rates can be figured out. When this is done it is said that the scheme of insuring baseball games will be put officially before the owners of the various major and minor league clubs.

The scheme is likely to be tested first on holidays and Sunday occupying the opening days and when double-headers are arranged. This will give the clubs a fair chance to see if the plan is feasible. While the scheme is new to this country, it has been tried for some years in England. In that country cricket players when about to be given a benefit, insure the match against the weather. The scheme has been a good one paper, and it is almost certain to be tested by some of the clubs this year.

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BIGGEST SHOW OF DOGS EVER

The classification of the various breeds of dogs entered for the twenty-fifth annual show of the New England Kennel Club, to be held in Mechanics Building, February 22, 23, 24 and 25, is about complete now, and shows an entry of between 1,000 and 1,100 dogs, by far the largest number that has ever been entered for a show in this city. The number, in fact, is larger than has ever been entered in any show in this country outside of New York.

James Nolan, the well-known handler of dogs, who has been in the business for twenty-five years, and who has charge of the Boston Terriers benched in Madison Square Garden, will be here in Boston during the show and will have charge of the same breed here. He will bring a number of the beauties in New York this week to Boston, as will also Frank Dole, superintendent of the New England show, who is exhibiting his own bull terriers in New York.

What makes the Boston and New York shows so interesting is the fact that many of the winners in New York are defeated at the Hub. The battle begun in New York this week will be continued in Philadelphia, and will then be resumed here in Boston, as many of the dogs are entered in the three shows and the results of the rewards of the different judges will be eagerly watched.

BOXING
BITS OF NEWS

Jim Jeffries has started on his theatrical career with a six weeks' tour of California before he takes for the East.

Marlin Sayers, the Milwaukee lightweight, is out in Frisco and has agreed to meet Jimmy Murphy fifteen rounds at Dreamland on February 19.

Joe Lagron of South Boston, who knocked out Charley Edwards at Brockton in five rounds, is looking for matches with any good lightweight in the State.

Mike Twin Sullivan, before he left the Hub for New Orleans, said he would meet Harry Lewis or Joe Mandot, with Kid Graves second, satisfactory to him.

Jack Dillon has started the Pittsburg fans by doing no training stunts on other shows. He will box Joe Gans with no preliminary and is used to ride up and down Broadway at any easy clip.

Kubsky, the Michigan giant, has been offered $5 per cent. of the gate receipts if he appears here or Jim Barry agrees to meet either Marvin Hart or Jim Flynn, the match to be made in this city.

Eddie Kenny, Jimmy Walsh's manager, does not consider Joe Gans a champion, and says he has got into trouble with a lot of people who have said so. Kenny will be in charge of Walsh's division in a bout with Jimmy Regan.

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BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

Leach Cross Never Had a Chance

DRISCOLL ALL THE WAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Jem Driscoll of England, gave Leach Cross a terrible beating in their ten-round fight at the Fairmont A. C., in this city. Cross was not knocked out but his face was battered and bruised, and his left eye completely closed at the finish, while the Briton had hardly a mark upon him.

Driscoll's cleverness completely baffled the East Side boy. It was one of Driscoll's easiest victories since he arrived in this country, and he avoided Cross's swings at will.

There was not one round in the ten that did not belong to Driscoll, but his blows lacked steam, and Leach was still strong at the finish.

The sparkling cleverness and ring generalship of the Briton were amazing. He looked even better than on any of his other appearances here. He shocked all Leach's leads for the body in the very cleverest manner. Occasionally he would show the frantic audience his skill at ducking. Cross's gloves went everywhere but to the Englishman. Driscoll peppered Cross about his left jab until he has taken every bit of fight out of him.

Driscoll's left was a beauty. He supplemented it with a stinging right that on several occasions dazed his opponent. Who punch, however, was not quite good enough to turn the trick. After the first few rounds Cross saw it was all chance-wre in landing that famous right hand maker. He would rush in blindly, his gloves protecting his face, which was almost completely covered by them and his long arms.

Every time he did so Jim would laugh apart the guard, and Driscoll would uppercut with both hands until Cross would cover again. There were no knockdowns. Driscoll staggered Cross in the third with a hard blow to the jaw. He also had Leach roeling at the end of the eighth. In this round Driscoll dropped to the floor. It was the only time either man was off his feet.

Round One.

They sparred and Leach missed fight for head. Leach put light left to jaw and Driscoll jabbed face with two lefts in quick succession. They sparred again and Leach uppercut with right. Cross put right to stomach and then missed right and left swings for head. Jem planted right on chin and then punched mouth twice with left.

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Round Two.

Driscoll jabbed with left and evaded Cross's right swings. He then sent hard right to jaw, but Leach came back and tried to rush his man. Driscoll was so clever that Leach was unable to hit him. Driscoll again jabbed Cross's mouth three times with stinging lefts. Cross missed right for head and Driscoll jabbed face with left at close quarters. Cross reached his wind with his right. Driscoll came back with three jabs to face. Cross missed four rights. Driscoll jabbed face with both hands. At the bell Driscoll ducked two rights and Cross seemed unable to land a hard blow. Driscoll's round.

Round Three.

Cross missed a right swing. Driscoll jabbed face with right. Cross missed with left time and time again. Driscoll sent Leach's head back with hard rights. Driscoll staggered Cross with right to jaw and then sent hard left to mouth. Driscoll put two lefts to face, which made Cross cover up. Leach missed a right swing and Jem jabbed face four times with left.

Cross was trying hard to get home his right haymaker, but Driscoll was so clever that Leach was unable to put a glove on him. Driscoll sent hard left to jaw at the gong. Driscoll's round.

Round Four.

Cross sent his left to neck, but Driscoll jabbed face in return. Leach tried to force the fighting, but Driscoll peppered him until he covered up from a left to the jaw. Cross missed right and left, and Jem put two stiff jabs to Leach's mouth. Driscoll chopped hard right and left. Jem jabbed Leach's mouth three times with left. Cross landed right kidneys with right, but Driscoll backed him to his corner, and Leach was again forced to cover. Driscoll used right and left to jaw, and jabbed face with left. After missing with right swings Cross finally landed his left on stomach at bell. Driscoll's round.

Round Five.

Driscoll put two left jabs to the face. Cross sent right to wind, and Jem peppered his man with three quick lefts to mouth. Driscoll ducked a wicked right and then pounded the stomach with his left. Driscoll evaded two rights for the head. Cross sent right swing on shoulder and then left to neck. Driscoll answered with a wicked right uppercut to chin. Cross missed right and left, but on next try put left on Driscoll's jaw. Cross bored in with both gloves covering his face, but Driscoll knocked them apart and jabbed mouth with left at bell. Driscoll's round.

Round Six.

They sparred and Driscoll jabbed mouth with left and uppercut with right to jaw. Leach missed left to jaw. Driscoll jabbed face with left twice. Cross missed two rights and then a left for stomach. Driscoll put a solid left to jaw with a right. Driscoll reached jaw with right. Cross again missed several swings and Driscoll jabbed mouth with left and right. Jem put two more lefts on Cross and did his best to get a right over, but Driscoll was away from him at every lead. Driscoll's round.

Round Seven.

The Briton blocked a left and put his right on mouth. After missing a right and left Cross put right and left to Driscoll's jaw. Driscoll more than paid him back by putting four hard rights to face. He jabbed face with left and then ducked two lefts to stomach and sent right to jaw. Driscoll and Driscoll jabbed mouth. Jem then jabbed mouth with left. Driscoll smashed Leach's mouth with a hard right and they mixed it up. They exchanged lefts to head. Driscoll came back with right to Leach's jaw at bell. Driscoll's round.

Round Eight.

The Englishman sent left to wind and upper cut with right to jaw. Driscoll blocked left lead and then jabbed face with left. As Driscoll was tangled in the gloves on ropes, Cross put a hard right on shoulder. Driscoll slipped to floor. The blow was not intentional and Cross apologized. Driscoll started in mixing and sent both hands to jaw, staggering Cross. Leach missed two lefts for head and Driscoll jabbed face with left. Driscoll landed two more lefts and right to face, blocking Leach's return. Driscoll's round.

Round Nine.

Driscoll jabbed face with two lefts and then uppercut with right to jaw. He ducked Leach's right swing. Cross reached Driscoll with left, but Driscoll crossed his right to mouth. Cross did nothing, but missing right and left swings. Driscoll drove blood from Leach's mouth with a right and then smashed jaw with left and back with left, and then smashed jaw with a hard right. Driscoll put two lefts and right eye with a terrific right swing. Driscoll sent both hands to mouth at bell. Driscoll's round.

Round Ten.

Jem jabbed face with two lefts and then the mouth again with left. The Briton blocked two right swings for head. Leach was bewildered at Driscoll's quickness. Driscoll landed right and left to face. Cross missed with both right and left swings for head. Driscoll pounded the wind at close quarters and then jabbed face with left and then the Briton uppercut to jaw with a hard right. Driscoll put two lefts and then a right on jaw at the bell. Driscoll's round and fight.

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'DAVE,' MISS LOTTA CRABTREE'S PET, HAS FALSE TEETH

FALSE TEETH AND PLATE FOR CRABTREE DOG

David, a white dog owned by Miss Lotta Crabtree, once a favorite actress, has in his mouth a gold plate and six artificial teeth, with which he can masticate the tough beef. Dave is now at the home of the Animal Rescue League on Carver street, where he was taken at the order of Miss Crabtree.

To Dr. Francis J. Sullivan of the Animal Rescue League belongs the honor of having applied the operation. According to the doctor Dave had been suffering until today because his teeth were in very bad condition. The teeth were removed by Dr. Sullivan and a skillful dentist make a solid gold plate which was fitted into the dog's mouth. The dog is now in perfect health and has gained weight.

"On Labor Day last year I received a call to go out to Squantum and look at a dog," said Dr. Sullivan. "I found that he had caries above and below in the mouth and was suffering untold pain. He could not eat anything and was surely starving to death. After consultation with Miss Crabtree I decided to take the dog to the Animal Rescue League on Carver street.

"It is a mongrel dog; its father and mother are on the stage. It's cuteness would captivate anybody and I decided to make a case for it. So I extracted the animal and removed part of the palate and the upper and lower jaws and extracted six teeth. The operation left an aperture into the nasal cavities. When the animal came to and had rested awhile I gave him some food, but found that the food passed through the aperture and was ejected out.

"After the healing process had ended I called in a dentist and had him make a gold plate. When it was finished I again chloroformed the dog and fitted the plate in his mouth so that it covered the aperture. Then I inserted six teeth. Since then the animal has been able to eat regularly, and is to-day in the best of health."

WANTS TO WESTLE AT SEVENTY-TWO

MAMMOTH SPRING, Ark., Feb. 11.—Mammoth Spring claims to have one of the largest families and the "youngest old man" in the entire country. J. T. Lunn celebrated his seventy-second birthday anniversary January 20. On his anniversary he ran four races and wrestled his young guests, who be his children, whose ages are twenty-six, stood by and watched. Mr. Lunn, who is familiarly known as "Uncle L.," although seventy-two years old, does not wear spectacles, and at the soldiers' reunions here invariably carries off the prizes for possession of the oldest and youngest baby on the ground, for being the fastest runner, the highest jumper and having the largest family. He is small in stature, but in activity is superior to the average man of thirty years.

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NEW AUTO CLUB IS BOOMING

By J. C. KERRISON.

There seems to be no diminishing of the interest in the Boston Motor Club, judging from the large number who attended and the enthusiasm displayed at the meeting of the club held at the office of the Algonquin Motor Company. Temporary Chairman E. A. Gilmore presided and a draft of the constitution and by-laws was submitted by the special committee appointed to draft the same. These showed that almost every conceivable condition had been considered and that the committee knew what it wanted and what should appeal to the members at large.

The committee on club quarters, through its chairman, R. B. Ross, reported that it had looked at many places, the most appealing of which were the quarters located in the Hotel Oxford, which the committee looked as though they were just what was desired. The committee, however, had done nothing to pledge the club, and suggested that the quarters be looked over by the membership at large and a ballot taken in view it was determined to hold the next meeting at the Oxford on the following evening next.

The American Simplex Company of Boston is the latest established motor vehicle house in Boston, and has as its head H. Mason Turner, who is prominently known in this section. Mr. Turner has for years been prominently identified with the motor industry of New England, and during the past has been connected with several of the best known manufacturers and branches. The company brings to Boston, as might be expected from its name, the two-cycle American Mercedes, the car which created such a sensation at the first of the New York shows and which was everywhere conceded as a most excellent vehicle. Although having only ordered his first car for its not expected to arrive until February 25, at which time Mr. Turner is confident that he can show as good a looking and performing a vehicle as there is to be found anywhere.

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CHAPTER XIII.—Continued.

With a cry like that of a wounded animal she fled out into the night, where she could give vent to her anguish unseen; for she had never wept before her father, but always crept away and hid herself until her grief was spent. Gale would have started after her, but Alluna dragged him back fiercely.

"No, no! It means your life, John. Let the secret die, and she will forget. She is so young. Time will cure her—time cures everything. Don't tell her—don't tell any one—and, above all, don't tell that soldier! He would not believe, not could not. Even I have doubted!"

"You?"

"Yes, John. And if I don't believe, what is a stranger to say? So much have I to you would believe the tale—without proof. Suppose she doubted—have you ever thought of that? Would you not rather have her still loving you than live and disbelieve?"

"Yes, yes! Of course. I—I've thought of that, myself—Woman, you're worse than a rattlesnake!"

"Even if he knew, he might not marry her. You are blind, John. Can't you see other man was a devil. A brave man's life is worth more than to pay for a grief that will die in a year."

Alluna was speaking swiftly in her own language, and Gale was trying hard to get into his mind seeing her mood ever again as Cleek was unable to put a glove on him. Driscoll sent hard left to jaw at the gong. Driscoll's round.

"You think time will cure a love like that? She said—"

"Yes, yes!"

"Then tell you know about it. Time may act that way perhaps in cities and church pieces, but—why, you don't know different. When you've got the breath of the frozen north in you, John, you've got it for all time—why, I've lived fifteen years in the Klondike, and I'm not changed."

"Every night I've dreamed it over, every day I've lived it through; in every campfire I see a face, and every wind brings back the sound of a voice. Why, every stormy night a girl with eyes like Nevia's comes to me, and I love to follow. Every patch of moonlight shows her smiling at me, just beyond my reach. Time? Why, Alluna, it's the only thing in the world that never dies, and time only makes it the more enduring."

He took up the white slouch hat he had thrown down when he came in, and stepped to the door.

"Where are you going?" inquired the squaw, fearfully.

"To the barracks to give myself up."

Alluna flung herself at him with a great cry, and seized him about the waist.

"You never loved me, John, but I have been a good woman to you, although I knew you were always thinking of her—and had no thought of me. I have loved her girl because you loved her. I have hated your enemies, because you hated them, and now I remember while you forget—"

"Forget! What do you mean?"

"Stark."

The man paused. "I did almost forget him—and after fifteen years!"

"Let us kill him to-night; then we will go to the Seward Peninsula, and no one will I am your woman. Necia will look after the little one."

Gale stared at her, and as he gazed the red judgment-mist lifted from his eyes. The straight-hanging, matchless hair, the gaudy shawl, the moccasins worn without the shapeless, skin-shod feet, the slovenly, ill-fitting garb of a mis-cast woman vanished, and he saw only a she was to a day past, a slim, shy, silent creature, with quick, watchful, treacherous eyes and a form unspoiled.

No woman had ever been so loyal, so uncomplaining. He had robbed her of her people and her gods. He had stifled pity and love and all the call of his uncertain fortune, or at a sign of that lurking fear that always dogged him, and she had never by word or look reproached him or doubted, but always served him like a slave, and, seeking for a part in that other love, without sharing in the caresses he had consecrated to another, had never seen.

"No! Heaven! You're game, Alluna, but there's a limit even to what I can take from you now. I—I don't deserve it. I've never seem to have noticed it before, but I've been a brute. You get me to this thing alone to-night, all of it, for you have no place to go, and I can't offer little girl as a slave, Alluna. The sooner that soldier knows the better."

He bowed down and touched her brown mouth with his grizzled lips. "Thank you, Alluna, for making a man of me when I'd nearly forgotten. Now put stay here."

He knew he could count on her obedience, just as he felt sure that she had gone she drew the shawl up over her face and crouched in the doorway, shrinking her eyes after him through the dark. In time she would have a good cry—and then be quiet, until the night moaned with the death-song of the wolves.

Necia had no idea whither she went; her only thought was to flee from him, for who could not understand, to cower in some solitary place, to let the darkness swallow her up, so that she might give way to her grief and be just a poor, weak woman.

So, with a dull, aching heart, she wandered, bareheaded, bare-necked, half-dressed, and wholly oblivious to her surroundings, without sense of incongruous attire or of the water that squeezed up through the soggy moss at her tread and soaked her fruit slippers. On she stumbled blindly through the marsh like some fair creature of light cast out and banished.

The night was cloudy and a wind came sighing from the North, tossing the girl's hair and tugging at the careless folds of her dress, but she heeded nothing save the devil's tattoo that rang in her head, and felt nothing beyond the pain at throat and heart, which in time became so bitter that the tears were wrung from her dry eyes, and she began to weep in a pitiful woman fashion, as if her heart would break. She made no effort to stay the sobs, and soon she was soaked to the skin, and lost in the night.

She had succeeded in thoroughly isolating herself, however, for a man who was steering his course by the sense of feel and the wind's direction heard her cries. He stopped in his tracks almost at the soft footing, so that she had no warning of his presence until he was within a few distinguishable yards of her, when she leaned against the log wall of a half-buried cabin.

To his question, "What's the trouble here?" she made no answer, but turned away, whereupon he detained her. "There's something wrong. Who are you, girl?"

"It's only Necia, Mr. Stark," said the girl, at which he advanced and took her by the arm.

"What ails you, child? What in the world are you doing here?" Then, as she only a step to my cabin; you must come in and tell me all about it. Are you hurt, girl? Why, you'll break your neck in this darkness!"

She hung back, but he compelled her to go with him in spite of her unwillingness. He was, in his commanding way, with unusual kindness for him: "You know me, your little friend, and I can't let you go on this way; it's scandalous. I won't stand for it. I like you too much."

In truth he had done things during these last few weeks to make her think so, having never missed an opportunity to stop and pass a word with her, at the same time showing her a queer courtesy and consideration quite foreign to his saturnine habits.

She had never mentioned the fact to her father or the others, for she had developed a sort of sympathy for the man, and felt that she understood him better than they did.

He led her inside his cabin, and closed the door, in the light of the night which before he struck a light.

"I can't stand to see you cry," he repeated, as he adjusted the wick. "Now, my boy, sit down there." He assisted her, for he had turned to behold, instead of the girl he had expected, a strange and sorrowful stranger in her amazingly wornout garments.

"By——" He checked himself inwardly, and stood motionless for a long time, while she wiped her eyes, put on a smile, and straightened out her gown and smoothed back her hair, like a feminine creature.

"I—I—hope you'll excuse me for acting like—like—a she was on a day-coach," she explained, glancing at his strange features, "I'm awfully ashamed, and I can't be you angry?"

Stark's face was strained and color-less, his black eyes fierce and eager, his head set as if it bounce upon a lofty climate. In truth he was now the predatory animal.

"No," he replied, as if her question carried no meaning; then, coming to himself, "Why, of course not. Sit down, girl, and give me a start. You reminded me of some one, and you put me in mind somehow that I never knew you had such clothes!"

"Why, Mr. Stark, I've had these for years; they are the first I ever had."

He looked at her in slow, puzzled fashion.

"You look just like a white girl—I mean I don't know what I mean. This time I've passed myself fully, the effort being more like a shudder.

"I've always managed," she said, and her eyes filled again.

"Your skin is like milk beneath your hair, and—I don't mean any disrespect,

PLAN TO ABOLISH DUTIES ON HIDES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—Ways and means Republicans have threshed out their differences over the question of free hides and decided to abolish the present duties. While this action is tentative, as are all the votes of the Republicans of the committee, there seems to be no question that the bill will be reported with hides on the free list. One of the strongest opponents to the committee of free hides said to-day that he realized they were beaten, and that they might as well acquiesce good-naturedly.

CROSSMAN BLOCK FIRE SWEPT AT LYNN

The police are to-day investigating a mysterious fire that started on the third floor of the Crossman Block on Central avenue, Lynn, early to-day, and did damage amounting to $6,000. Had it not been for an automatic alarm, the whole block would have been destroyed. The A. W. Rogers Shoe Co., which occupied the third floor, was completely burned out, and the stock of the Swain Shirt Company was considerably damaged. The Ewes Printing Co. and the Lynn Item, and Mendell & Bross' stationery store, on the ground floor, suffered by smoke and water.

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Little Bobbie's Slate

Pa Tries to Be a Good Fellow, but He Makes No Hit with Ma

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

THE picter on my slait to-day is a picter of my Pa & my ma. My Pa is reesiting a parody.

Pa calm beam ageean last last nite, he sed he was waiting till the town dried up. Herings knows, sed Ma, if you stay in town long enuff, that town is sure to dry up. You are the original blotter boy, sed Ma.

Childe me not, sed Pa, how canst thou bear to childe me, Pa sed. You see, wife, sed Pa, the facks in the case are these:

As I was working at my tipewriter, working like the slaiv that I am, I looked up at the sky & sed Well, the sun is shining, now I will go hoam to my darling wife & littel enbd, & I will talk them out in a attomosfeer. That's what I sed to myself, Pa told Ma.

I always hurried to them when my office work was thru.

But when I calm to this old town & thought no more to roam.

The streets was all so muddy that I hated to go hoam.

So wile it keeps on raining every day, These words to you, wife, I do eddly say:

Chorus:

Baby deer, lissen here, I'm afrade to go hoam to the mud,

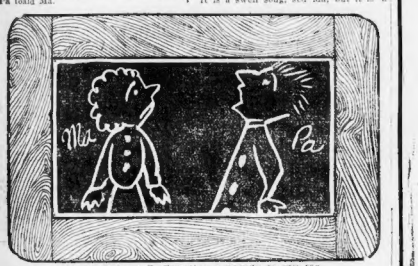
For I might get ded from a cold in my hed & perish in cold blood,

& you will agree, if that happened to me, a genius would be dipped in the hot.

There's no plais like hoam, doo, but I'm afrade to go hoam in the mud.

That is a swell song, isent it, wife? sed Pa.

It is a swell song, sed Ma, but it is a



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Herings loitered thare food gates & they ally, which had precisely been as the check modify sed Pa. Myrse they are modify, sed Ma, but how in the world am I ever of a bride, beacuin dark & lowering, like going to git a chanst to find out wether the face of a cashier the day bertoar pay they are muddy or not if you dont ever dai. take me with?

The elements raged, sed Pa, & the darkness was on the face of the waters. The thunder leaped from crag to crag & the lifeing crashed, Pa sed.

You dount say so, sed Ma.

Yes, verily so, sed Pa. You know I hate to git my feet wet wile in this cliinut sed Pa, so I sat down & tore off this littel poem, wich I will now recite to you. It is a parody on Jane Afrade To Go Hoam in the Dark. This is the song wich Pa reesited:

I always luvd my darling wife & littel Bobbie, too.

So Pa promised Ma that he wud tak a all out to-morrow. He sed he wud tak pe out to the Zoo & let us look at the animals.

That will be fine, sed Ma. Every time I look at a seal at the Zoo I think about the seelskin coat that I had to pawn wen we was first married.

Do you hear that, Bubbie? sed Pa. Can you beet that for beeing erule? Wher is the use of me trying to be a good Pa? sed Pa.

Then Pa went to bed.

Cinderellas in Real Life

Hermione Bronleben, a Typewriter Girl Who Married Her Wealthy Employer, Rutherford H. Towner

By ANGELA MORGAN

IT'S a far cry from a dingy West Broadway home over a ragpicker's shop to a fashionable New York residence and an assured position in aristocratic society; yet that seemingly impossible flight was achieved by "Hermoine Bronleben, a pretty typewriter girl, who is now Mrs. Rutherford Hamilton Towner.

The fairy coach that whisked Cinderella from her gloomy kitchen to the ball was no more of a miracle than the wizard circumstance that snatched this girl of poverty from her humble dwelling and installed her as mistress of a wealthy home.

Above all, she had won the complete devotion of a superior man—a man who could have chosen his mate from dozens of fair women in the upper ranks of life.

What was the secret of this young woman's wonderful good fortune? What special charms, or graces, or gifts of mind and heart had she, that could so completely win the love of her employer?

What Is the Wizard Charm?

Thousands of girls ask such questions, when the Cinderella story happens in our modern life. What is the law by which some girls so quickly realize their wildest dreams of love and riches, while other girls, folly as beautiful and perhaps more charming, always fall short of attaining even their due?

It would almost seem as if the gods were cruelly partial in bestowing their blessings and favors upon certain human beings, and totally ignoring others. But is it so? May it not be that the Cinderellas deserve the good that comes their way? Who knows?

Perhaps the girl who sees her most marvelous dream come true has been more faithful to that dream than other girls. It is a mystery, forever fascinating, forever baffling.

Let us look into the career of this particular Cinderella and see what special traits of character she had.

In the first place, she was studious, energetic and industrious. She was beautiful, too, but her beauty was not the insipid, useless kind.

Foremost in her mind was the thought of improving herself. She was willing and glad to work and struggle toward that end.

Early Fight for Independence

And she did work. Although fond of study, she left school at the age of fifteen, in order to take up some practical employment that would help to support the home. Her mother and father, Germans by birth, conducted in their home a laboring business, but the profits were rarely enough to support the family.

Hermione's one aim was to make herself independent. She went to a commercial college and studied stenography, a preparation that was destined to take her into the life of Rutherford Towner.

It was not long after she obtained her diploma that she secured a position in a downtown office. Her work was so efficient that gradually she gained the financial independence she desired.

Eventually she went into the employ of the American Forest Company, becoming typewriter for Mr. Towner, who was chief attorney for the firm. During it was chiefly on her superior traits came into full evidence, under the observing eye of her employer. Her energy, her industry, her accuracy, her quick understanding—all these qualities appealed to the attorney.

Soon she was promoted to the position of secretary, and entrusted with his most important affairs.

Love's Transforming Power.

But little did the guess that love were the transforming influence. In the office there was not the slightest hint of friendship between the handsome, athletic attorney and his lowly secretary. The strictest formality reigned in all their dealings, so far as the office knew.

For this reason everybody was wholly unprepared for the quiet, modest announcement cards that told of the wedding. It was the old, enchanting story of Cinderella and her prince. And they had gone on their honeymoon—the prince to possess the love of this girl of poverty; she radiantly happy in his rapturous devotion.

He took her away from the old hard life of work and struggle, established a handsome home for her and made her the queen of it. Here, indeed, stands out first by the disparity in the social positions of the bride and Bridegroom, is there to see the superiority of the girl, as he had seen it.

His was a proud old Connecticut family, and he, and his people, had planned a different sort of match for him—but neither sweetness and womanliness, wit nor virtue, could have received her as she was received.

Sometimes the envious fairie, "She lived in West Broadway—think of it! once in a while" they whisper. But now she is the wife of a waiter in a West street restaurant—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dorrissteen the name.

But Cinderella and her prince were happy, and they did not care.

To-morrow's Best Bargains

IN BOSTON'S BIG STORES

THE GILCHRIST CO. have arranged a special sale of women's colored hosiery for Friday, among which will be found some beautiful lisle thread goods in fine lisle thread and silk lisle, worth 75 cents and 75 cents, for 21 cents a pair. Light blue and pink merino wool embroidered anklets that would be just the thing for evening wear, also white and gray lace ankle, all at the same low price.

HENRY SIEGEL CO. will have on sale to-morrow one lot of ladies' one-piece house dresses especially priced for American women at 89 cents that are splendid value. This style dress has become very popular, as it is both neat and becoming for morning wear. The waist is cut Dutch neck, short sleeves, and is attached to the full gored skirt by a neat waist band. They may be had in a large assortment of pretty striped and checked effects.

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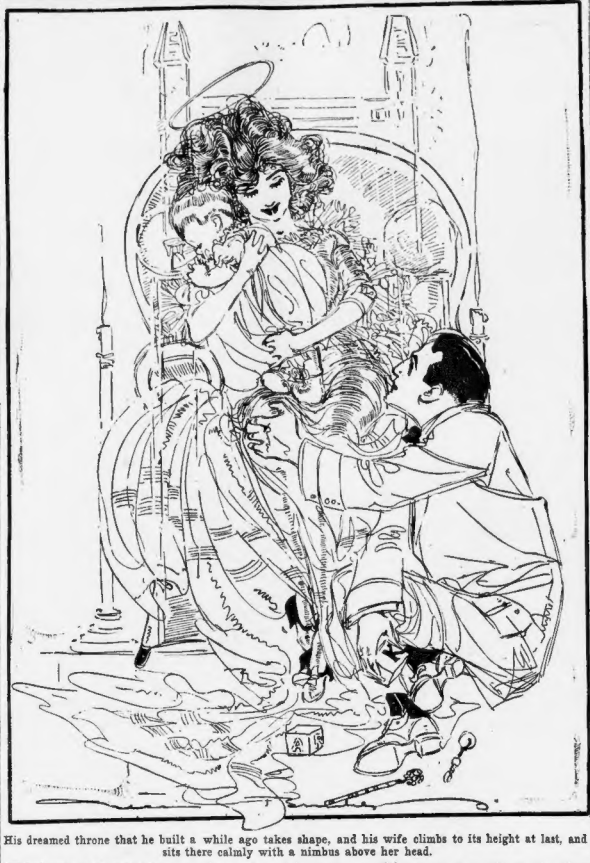
AT PLUMER'S, you will find a small lot of men's soft cloth hats in plaid checked and striped worsteds and panamas marked to close out Friday priced from $10 and $12.50. For an early Spring suit for the early Spring days you will find a few pairs of up these are splendid values. They are made of serviceable mixed worsted coats and have plain, gored or plaited skirts.

SHEPARD NORWELL will have men's bosiery for Friday selling. An odd lot of fancy mixed cotton cashmere and wool hose in black and light and dark grey shades will be marked to 10 cents a pair for quick clearing. Also a lot of special for one day only.

IN FILENE'S green department to-morrow you will find several dozen maids white lawn aprons on sale for 25 cents that are regular fifteen cent kind. The lot contains about six different styles, made with bib and breadth, with dainty hemburg and hemstitching.

The Slave Husband---By Nell Brinkley

No 4—The Man Who Is Held in Bondage to His Wife by Her Motherhood



His dreamed throne that he built a while ago takes shape, and his wife climbs to its height at last, and sits there calmly with a nimbus above her head.

THIS surely is her most potent power for holding in bondage the man she's mated with. It's her most wonderfully wrought sceptre, made of a single priceless diamond.

And the plainest, humblest woman holds it in as tight a grip as any sister of hers. It brings down in passionate idolatry the straightest necked man that ever held his head and his feet through all other swayings of the wizardry.

In his wooing days, man builds a throne for her; and it is such a gaining thing that it never takes definite outline. It's only a chimera, and it flies before him and neither he nor his sweetheart ever catches up with it. For she never quite reaches it, and he never sees her really sitting thereby.

Men choose many fashions of chimera through the world, but they never catch them quite. They will some day, when they're shut their hands over their breasts and gone out into the dark. And they don't catch them here, because to catch and look into the dazzle of their dreams would blind them into wifely darkness, and they ever after would see it a disc before everything, as a man who gazes at the sun sees its green fire a blot in every other thing he looks after.

But this one chimera man many catch in his wife and possess for a little while. When his mate holds gallantly, softly in her arms, the first time, his little child, the first-born changeling—then he looks into the very eyes of the wonder of all the wonders of the world.

His dreamed throne that he built a while ago takes shape, and his wife climbs to its height at last, and sits there calmly with the light of new things in her eyes and a nimbus above her head.

She has failed and overreached his unconscious, half-formed, wildest ideal of her. And so he holds his flying chimera in his hands and turns its face to the light and falls blinded with his hands over his eyes, and strange, stirring worships in his heart.

For this woman who is one with him takes new shape for him. Her weariness and her bravery make her more a feminine thing to him than she has ever been. New tenderness, new love and laboring grow all over again—and vastly sweeter—in him for her.

And tears lie close under them at. For the very root of his heart is reached and stung, and the tears that are born are the rare wine of a different, quickened, mighty tenderness that his love never held before.

With some men the nimbus never fades from the head of their children's mother, and his metaphorical, perfect slavery is given her till they die.

NELL BRINKLEY.

What Would Home Be Without Father?

Especially When It Takes Women So Long to Dress?

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE.

OF course, if you don't want to go, we won't go. Don't let the trifling fact that I have bought the seats, and that one only good for to-night, make any difference with your arrangements.

Just if you do want to go, I would suggest that you try to be on time.

Yes, I'm back; your dress up the back, if I must. But why the mischief you have dresses that don't fasten in front, like a man's coat, I don't know.

Confound it! There are only seven hooks here, and there are ten eyes. I know there are, for I've just counted them.

There, look at that! Three of 'em pulled off! Can't you sew them on so they'll stay? If I live to be a thousand years old, I'll never be able to understand why women hook their clothes together, instead of buttoning them.

Oh! Supposing it isn't even! That don't make any difference. You certainly aren't going to make us both late for the theatre because of a few foolish irregularities like that, are you? I never saw such fussiness as every woman exhibits all the time.

Yes, you're fast in straight, or it is as near straight as you ever wear it. Your idea of straight is having it tilted at an angle of forty-five degrees, and I don't know how I could be expected to tell whether it was straight or not.

Never mind the hatpins. Come on! We'll miss the curtain if you don't; and that'll mean another delay of half an hour.

What's the matter now?

Oh, yes, your hair is all right! You can fix it at the theatre, anyway. Take a hand glass along if you want to, only for heaven's sake come. We might as well not go at all as to get there an hour late.

Now, don't be in such a hurry! I'm not going to dash off like mad till I've got my overcoat adjusted.

Where are my rubbers? We can't go till I find them. I suppose that my carrying myself to punishment would be a mere matter of nothing at all, compared to your frantic desire to get to that theatre.

Here they are, in the fireplace. The baby's been using them for railroad trains, again, I suppose.

No, I shall not go a step till I've dusted my hat and got my gloves on.

Nonsense! I didn't hurry you. I only requested you not to waste any more time than necessary. Let the car go by, if it wants to. I shall take my time, madame!

The Rebellion of Women

It Will Give Her the Ballot, but She Will Still Be Feminine

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

ONE of man's pet arguments against woman suffrage is that woman, on finding herself emancipated, will lose her femininity.

"Woman will be too independent," is the cry. "She will not want to marry. There will be no more families. Race suicide will abound in the land, and oh, lack-a-day! and mercy me! what are we coming to, that woman should dare raise her eyes from the cradle and the cook stove?"

Compose yourselves, gentlemen; for, as long as there are women in the land, there will be matrimony and babies.

Equal franchise will not keep women from marrying. The only thing that will keep her single will be the knowledge that she can support herself comfortably and be dependent on no man for every cent she spends.

It is a merry war between heart and independence.

On the one hand stand independence, the chance of having a voice in the governing of the land, many privileges enjoyed by the single woman.

On the other, fighting valiantly all by his lonesome, stands Cupid.

And all the king's horses and all the king's men, of all nations banded together, are not strong enough to stand against that one little mischievous boy.

Equal franchise will broaden and uplift woman, but it will not make her one whit less loving or lovable.

The girl who prefers single blessedness to matrimony has not been wooed by the right man, that is all. It is far better to remain unwed than to marry a man who cannot support you.

If all married women could earn actual salaries, a husband's incapacity to support his wife would not be so important.

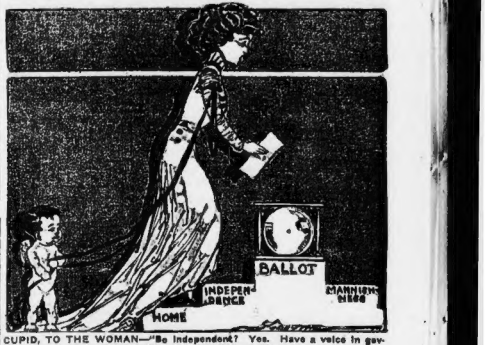
But the woman with a family to look after cannot go out into the world and work. Her duty lies at home.

Naturally the woman with children will be more interested in suffrage than the single woman. It is not for her own sake that she wants equal franchise; it is because she realizes that with woman's vote will come better government, and her children will reap the benefit.

For years man has looked on woman with tolerance—chivalric, tender, reverential tolerance, maybe, but tolerance, just the same.

Now the day has come when she will no longer be looked upon in that light.

Ever since the world began rebellions of one sort or another have lifted nations and causes from repression. To-day the biggest and most far-reaching in its effect of all rebellions is at hand. It is the rebellion of woman.



CUPID, TO THE WOMAN—"Be Independent? Yes. Have a voice in governing? Yes. But forsake your femininity? Never!"

How They Got Rich

W. A. Clark, by Careful Thinking and Prudent Dealing, Became the "Copper King"

By REV. THOMAS B. GREGORY

WILLIAM ANDREW CLARK is in every sense of the word a self-made man.

Born about seventy years ago on a Pennsylvania farm, on which he worked till he was twenty-four years old, he began the life-battle with nothing but his keen brain and unconquerable courage.

Before he had acquired anything like an academic education for himself he began to be an educator of others; and from 1859 to 1861 we find him school-teaching in Missouri.

But the call of the West was strong, and in 1862 the young pedagogue dropped his pencil and crossed the great plains. For a year he worked in the mines in Central City, Colorado, but the next year the rumors of great gold finds in Montana lured Clark to the region where he was to make his fortune and his fame.

It was not as a miner, however, that Clark was to begin his work in Montana, but as merchant, dealer in provisions in general and baking powder in particular. It was on account of the very lucrative profits that he made in the latter article that he came by his first-earned title of "Baking Powder Bill."

In 1870 Mr. Clark gave up the merchantile business and formed the well-known firm of Clark, Daunell and Larable, of Butte City, which soon became the largest mercantile house of its kind in all the Northwest.

It was not as a great banker, however, that Clark meant to figure. He had invested a wider field. He knew that Montana was rich in mineral wealth, and in a quiet way he acquired, in whole or in part, four or five mines, all of which proved to be immensely rich.

These mines—the "Original," "Colusa," "Mountain Chief" and "Gambetta"—made him several times a millionaire.

Clark's holdings in silver and copper mines went on increasing until he became the chief mine owner of the State and the Copper King of the world.

William A. Clark was never in any sense of the word a "plunger." He always looked before he leaped, and looked cleanly and carefully. He never committed himself unreservedly to the fickle goddess of chance.

He was the calculator first, the speculator afterward, and may appropriately be termed the mathematician of American fortune-builders.

The foolish notion that one can shut his eyes and jump into the arms of fortune receives no support from the history of this man's career.

The more ancient idea, that every man is the "architect of his own fortune," is the one that is preached by the life story of W. A. Clark.

While the money was coming in upon him thick and fast, the unthinking multitude about him talked of "Clark's Luck," a saying that became proverbial throughout Montana and the West.

But Clark himself knew better—knew that the only "luck" in the case was his own careful thinking and prudent dealing, his good judgment and unremitting attention.

HUMANISMS

It's queer how some people imagine they are living a good time when they do things you dislike.

At some period in a man's life he firmly believes that all his friends have conspired to injure him.

Occasionally a man is so suspicious that he imagines you are trying to poison his dog every time you throw him a bone.

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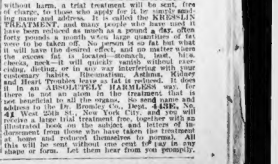

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BRISK SALES REPORTED IN REAL ESTATE

Though not of very large character the sales in the real estate market to-day were quite numerous, both city and suburban properties being in good demand.

The property at No. 10 Cooper street, between Saleen and North Margin streets, has been transferred by Mary Fitzgerald and the Mary M. Daniels estate to Wolf Berger. It includes a three-story frame house and 850 square feet of land, taxed for $5,500, of which $4,000 is on the land.

Mary A. Critchley has sold to William A. Murphy the property at No. 27 Cumberland street, near St. Botolph street, Back Bay, comprising a three-story swell front brick house and 2,008 square feet of land, all assessed for $10,000, of which $4,000 is on the land.

In Roxbury, John Klein has sold to Cornelius P. Mahoney the estate at 42-43 Erskin Street, near Harrison avenue and Winslow street, including a two and one-half story frame house and 2,940 square feet of land, all taxed on a valuation of $4,000, of which $2,900 is on the land.

Land Sale at Roxbury.

Antony Varnerin has sold to Alice G. Whittemore the two lots of land, 42,435 square feet, on Hutchins street, Roxbury, comprising 12,777 feet of land, taxed for $12,400.

Edwin A. Peckham has sold to Blanche L. Ritchey the estate at 1 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, including a frame house and 4,829 square feet of land. It is all assessed for $5,100, of which $1,000 is on the land.

Another Dorchester property transferred is the frame house and 5,000 square feet of land on Shuffler street, near Waterloo street, taxed for $5,300, of which $800 is on the land. The Columbian Five Cents Savings Bank transfers to Sarah J. Clark, Alice G. Whittemore has sold to Wolf Berger, Vannerin the frame house, stable and 45,-235 feet of land at No. 23 Ashmont street, near Peabody square, Dorchester, assessed for $15,200, of which $11,300 is on the land.

Bridgewater Farm Sold.

The Chapin Farm Agency has sold for the owner, T. E. Hayward, his house farm, "Riverview," on Hayward street, Bridgewater, comprising twenty acres of land with an attractive country residence, commanding an excellent view. There is also a modern dairy, a stock barn and other numerous outbuildings, a fruit orchard and a tract of woodland. The sale was made to George W. Parey of Rockland, who has already taken possession. The price is not made public.

To-day's Transfers.

The following transfers were taken from the files of the Boston Real Estate Exchange and Board of Trade Bureau of Information:

Ellen Booker, et. to Adelaide J. Torrey, Peel-land street, $1.

Franklin Torrey to Adelaide J. Torrey, Peel-land street, $1; mortgage.

Ann Roberts and Rosalinda Roberts, S. B. Portland, Booker and Chandler streets, $1.

Ellen Booker, et. to Wolf Berger, Cooper street, $2,225.

Mary A. Critchley to William A. Murphy, Cumberland street, $1.

Anna R. Moore, et. to City of Boston, rear of Belmont alley, $150, B.

Virginia J. Moore Faculty of Boston, rear of Belmont alley, $150, B.

SOUTH BOSTON.

Ann Sing to Mario Fanelli, Third street, $1.

Adelaide J. Torrey, et. to Franklin Torrey 22 et. Granite, Baldwin and Richards streets, $1.

EAST BOSTON.

Robert Gordon, exr., to Wendell P. Davidson, Bell street, $1, B.

Boston Wool Scouring Company to Wendell P. Davidson, Bell street, $1, B.

Wendell P. Davidson to Municipal Wool Scouring Company, Mill street, $1, B.

ROXBURY.

Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank, purchs., to Edward P. Bolster, Bragdon street, two pieces, $1, B.

John Klein to Cornelius P. Mahoney, Dutton street, $1, W.

Antony Varnerin to Alice G. Whittemore, Seaver street, $1, B.

DORCHESTER.

Christian H. Lorthorn to Hugo G. McIntosh, Tower street, $1, W.

Maximilian Sauer to Bridget Long, Blackwell street and Neponset avenue, $1, Q.

Charles J. Schoenfeld to Suburban Pressing Company, Adams street, $1, Q.

Dorchester Trust Company, Trustee, to Sarah J. Clark, Shuffler street, $1, W.

Sarah J. Clark to Cornelius Foote, Rose Hill avenue, $1, W.

Ralph Reinstein, mtgee, to Ralph Reinstein, Beech street, $1, W.

Ralph Reinstein to Mark S. Reinstein, Beech street, $1, W.

Edwin A. Peckham to Blanche L. Ritchey, Ashmont street, $1, Q.

Alice G. Whittemore to Antony Varnerin, Ashmont street, $1, Q.

WEST ROXBURY.

Anna R. Clough to Jesse Lee Home, et al, Thomas and Bowker streets, $1, W.

CHARLESTOWN.

Constance J. Winship to Grace E. Ayres, Chapman street, $1, W.

Sam Gordon to Rebecca Gelman, Lynde-borough street, $1, Q.

Margaret G. Cauley to Joseph Stafford et ux, Medford court, $250, W.

CHELSEA.

Caroline Briggs et al, to Edward P. Bolster, Brook and Shawmut streets, $1, Q.

WINTHROP.

Thomas Potter to Wallace M. Reals, Harvard street, 15 lots, $1, Q.

REVERE.

Lewis L. Berry to Madeline M. Peter, Franklin place, $1, W.

Samuel Gilman to Joseph Finkelstein, Third street, $1, W.

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Local Briefs

Ralph R. Jacobs, twenty-two years old, of No. 511 Harrison avenue, was arrested in the station house on Albany street, No. 64 Myrtle street, he is charged with burglary and stealing three diamond rings, a gold locket and $8 in cash, all worth $150. He got into the house with false keys.

The Elks have completed plans for securing their new home at Clarence and Clement streets, Malden, which was bought recently by Malden Lodge, No. 1082. There is a large dining room on the first floor, a reception and card room, parlor, billiard and smoking rooms on the second floor, the top will be used for recreation. Bowling and court tennis will be played in the basement.

Children played with matches in the five-story brick tenement at No. 156 Prince street yesterday and set the house on fire. The tenants extinguished the blaze before it did any harm.

Judge Lucy, in the Waltham Police Court, fined George Thomasetti and Edward G. Hall $25 each for selling cider containing 2 per cent. of hozuzic acid. They appealed, pleading ignorance that one-tenth of 1 per cent. was the maximum of the acid allowed.

Professor George Hartwell Bartlett will be given a reception by the board of visitors of the State board of Education and the alumni of the Massachusetts Normal Art School, where he has been principal for twenty-five years, to-night in the school building at Newbury and Exeter streets.

OBITUARY

Deaths of a Day

BENJAMIN BRACKETT, the proprietor of a Roxbury market, in Franklin, N. H., in the home of his cousin, J. Brackett Tuttle. He was 69 years old.

GEORGE H. MOORE, ex-representative from Ward 10. At his home in No. 7 Hereick street. He was born in Lexington, Vt., 94 years ago. He was a veteran of the Civil War, Past Master of Oriental Lodge and a member of Bensaleem Encampment, I. O. O. F., Welated Lodge, K. P., and the G. A. R.

GEORGE M. WHITE, once a notorious bank robber, at the age of 72 years, in the Elliot City Hospital, Keene, N. H. He had gone into business in his later years and was highly respected.

CLARENCE P. WHITCOMB, former alderman, from pneumonia, in his home at No. 2394 Salem street, Malden.

MOTHER MARY ST. ALPHONSES, superior of the Order of the Good Shepherd, at Halifax N. S., at the age of years of age, a native of St. Rosalie, Quebec.

FRANCIS H. FARNSWORTH, 76 years old, a resident of Waltham for 40 years. His father was the Rev. Thomas Farnsworth, Universalist minister.

Deaths.

FLYNN—In South Boston, Feb. 10, Josephine May, daughter of William and Mary Josephine Flynn, 3 yrs. 28 ds.

Funeral from 120 E street, Feb. 12, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited.

FREITAS—In Somerville, Feb. 9, Rosa E. Freitas (nee Bettencourt), widow of John Freitas. Funeral from the house of her sister, Mrs. Rose A. Cabral, 10 Bonair street, Feb. 12, at 8 a. m., High mass of requiem at St. Anthony's Church, Portland st., at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

FURLONG—In South Boston, Feb. 9, Catherine G., beloved wife of Daniel Furlong (nee McGann).

Funeral from residence, 83 Old Harbor st., Friday, Feb. 12, at 8:15 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Augustine's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

HAMILL—In Boston, Feb. 9, Patrick, beloved husband of the late Catherine Grenfell.

Funeral from residence of his son, 2 McMasan 288 Main st, Malden, on Thursday, Feb. 11, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Joseph's Church, where a High Mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

HOOPER—In Boston, Feb. 9, Mary Agnes (nee Mooney), beloved widow of Garrett Landrey Hooper, and mother of Mrs. Edward Wentzel, Mrs. Nellie Gorman, Mr. Augustus T. Hooper, at 8 a. m., thence to St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church, Columbia road, at 9 o'clock. New interment in Mt. Hope. Kindly omit flowers.

HYDE—Feb. 8, George H. Hyde, 80 yrs., 9 mos.

Funeral services at residence, Granite av., Dorchester, Thursday at 11 a. m. Burial private.

KING—In Woburn, Feb. 8, John J., son of the late Bernard and Joanna (Lane) King, aged 6 years, 27 ds.

Funeral on Thursday, Feb. 11, at 8:15 a. m. from his father's residence, Woburn. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

WRIGHT—In Medfield, Feb. 8, Deacon Francis S. Wright, aged 87 yrs.

Funeral services at his late home, Thursday, Feb. 11, at 2 p. m.

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LOST—Wicker dress suit case, containing ladies' apparel; dropped from taxicab Friday evening, Jan. 29, between Boylston and Tremont st. theatres. C. BARNHART, 87 Tremont st.

LOST—Between Copley square and Dartmouth and Sullivan square, ladies' gold watch with monogram A. E. H. Reward. 2251 Boston American.

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A TRAVELING SALESMAN, tired of the road, to supply and sell a good line to the retail trade with $2,000 a year, if lowder, to amazing references. Room 310, 209 Washington st., Bos.

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WANTED—Nagging Machine setter, and solderer. Apply to Crosby Steam Gage & Valve Co., 182 Columbia st., Boston.

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ANY intelligent person may earn good income corresponding for newspapers; experience unnecessary; we pay on receiving; send 2c stamp. PRESS SYNDICATE, Box 719, Lockport, N. Y.

BEGINNERS start in business, $20 weekly, 23 Washington st., Room 1, Goodyear building, selling or remedying or stitching, 275; cutting vamping, sole trimming or setting, $35; lasting, $15; stitching, $10; both guaranteed.

CATHOLIC MEN and women wanted everywhere to sell religious articles; steadier work; good pay. W. M. KENNEDY, 21 Barclay st., New York City.

COACHMEN (2), single, to drive automobiles and take care of horses. Apply Monday, No. 9:30, at 1 Arlington st.

HACK DRIVERS should keep to drive taxicabs; see us at once. 1 to 7 Exeter st., Back Bay.

I MADE $50,000 in five years in the mail order business; began with $5; any one can do the work; home in spare time; send 2c stamp for booklet telling how to get started. BEACOCK, Box 742, Lockport, N. Y.

MAINSPRINGS 25c, put in while waiting; guaranteed 2 years; clocks cleaned, 50c. ROSE BROS., 749 Washington st.

MEN 18 to 35 wanted; short vision; under 20, over 145 pounds; steady employment; no strike; railroad; experience unnecessary; instructions free; $75 to $125 monthly; expenses paid; firemen, engineers, $150 to $200. RAILWAY ASSOCIATION, Room 221, South Bend, Indiana.

MEN WANTED at once to learn auto and motor car automobiles; positions paying $25 to $50 a week guaranteed; tuition $25; we have no branch; full course $25; send 2c stamp for catalogue. MOTOR CAR SCHOOL, 1 Columbus ave., Boston.

MEN, 18 to 45, wanted everywhere to operate moving picture machines; $50 to $150 weekly. Write for free booklet. MOTOGRAPH CO., 1 Columbus ave., Boston.

WANTED—Able-bodied man to work in bakery; must be sober and reliable; steady work; no Sunday work. Apply at 1 Arlington st., Boston.

WANTED—Boy to learn the printing business; must be willing to work; good chance for advancement. Apply at once, 1 Arlington st., Boston.

WANTED—Experienced sewing machine operator; steady work; good wages

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Baby Wants the "Bow-Wow"

Baby Gets It and Is Happy—The Story Answers Some One Who Asks "How Shall I Write?"

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An intelligent human being with knowledge and ambition asks me "How shall I write, what shall I write, what is it that the people want to hear? What do they want from me; what can I give them?"

That question comes from thousands. The answer is:

The people want you to tell them what they are thinking.

The people don't want to hear from you; they want to hear from themselves. Every human being is a complete world in himself. Within him are emotions, feelings, hopes, goodness, badness; a wonderful, extraordinary mixture. He is to himself **THE WORLD'S GREAT PUZZLE.** He wants to know how he feels and what he feels. If you can write and **CAN EXPRESS A MAN TO HIMSELF AND EXPLAIN HIM TO HIMSELF, YOU SUCCEED.**

The world doesn't want to know what you think; it doesn't want to **hear** your story. The individual man and the entire race want to hear **some** one that gives expression to the thought of the man and the thought **of** the race.

On the floor there is a young baby screeching, twisting up its face **and** waving its fists helplessly.

The ignorant man comes in and begins telling that baby some story, **or** he makes faces to amuse it. Total failure; he is like the unsuccessful **writer.**

The wise woman who knows babies comes in; she knows that the **baby** cannot talk. She knows that there is some thought inside of it **struggling** to get out. She watches the baby's motions, follows the feeble **little** eyes, perceives the china dog on the mantlepiece, and says simply. **"Baby** wants the bow-wow." Down comes the bow-wow, the baby gets **it,** and his soul is satisfied.

That is about all there is to literature, young and ambitious friends **and** writers. The man is some kind of a baby that wants some kind of **a** bow-wow. You must find out what he is trying to say and cannot say, **and** say it for him, and you are his friend and benefactor.

There is beauty, of course, in fine writing; but all the fine writing **in** the world won't make success.

There is **skill and intelligence** in settled, reasonable analogies. There **is** the greatest possible usefulness in striking comparisons. But those **things** alone do not make the successful writer, learning does not make **him,** earnestness and ambition do not make him.

The man succeeds who tells other men **WHAT THEY ARE THINKING AND FEELING, AND WHY.**

Everything in literature that is called fine or famous writing is **known** and remembered **BECAUSE IT EXPRESSES SOME WIDESPREAD HUMAN EMOTION.**

WHAT IS THE BEST KNOWN OF ALL QUOTATIONS? PERHAPS IT IS THE HAMLET SOLILOQUY BEGINNING:

"To be or not to be, that is the question."

That is a very simple thought, the most simply expressed. It stays **in the mind and is quoted by millions of men. BECAUSE IT EXPRESSES THE THOUGHTS OF MILLIONS OF MEN.**

Few men have gone through life without asking themselves whether it is worth while to live, putting to themselves simply the various questions that Shakespeare powerfully and simply puts in the mouth of Hamlet.

Millions have rebelled in spirit against

"The oppressor's wrong, the proud man's contumely,
The pangs of despised love, the law's delay,
The insolence of office, and the spurns
That patient merit of the unworthy takes,
When he himself might his quietus make
With a bare bodkin."

Shakespeare is the greatest writer that has ever lived in the world, **because he has been most skilful, most marvelous in expressing the thoughts and the feelings of all human beings. Everybody knows that he has used in his writings more of the words in the English language than any other writer. But few remember that he has expressed more of the EMOTIONS in the human soul than any other writer.**

Shakespeare says to you:

"Thus conscience doth make cowards of us all,
And thus the native hue of resolution
Is sicklied o'er with the pale cast of thought,
And enterprises of great pith and moment
With this regard their currents turn awry
And lose the name of action."

Every one of us realizes the greatness of those lines, simply because **they** express the weakness that is or has been in every one of us.

Shakespeare makes Caesar compare himself, "true-fix'd and unshak'd," **to** the northern star.

"But I am constant as the northern star,
Of whose true-fix'd and resting quality
There is no fellow in the firmament.
The skies are painted with unnumber'd sparks;
They are all fire and every one doth shine;
But there's but one in all doth hold his place.
So in the world; 'tis furnish'd well with men,
And men are flesh and blood and apprehensive;
Yet in the number I do know but one
That unassailable holds on his rank,
Unshak'd of motion; AND THAT I AM HE.

There is a great line, **BECAUSE IT EXPRESSES THE AMBITION IN MEN.** It is not great simply because it is well and simply written.

Millions of us little creatures have imagined ourselves Caesars, and fixed and unchanging like the north star, when, as a matter of fact, we are more like the New Jersey mud turtle that suns himself on the end of a log and dives down out of danger at the first signal.

Whatever you write, give expression to the thoughts of human beings, and they will accept your writing.

You can send your imagination up to the North Pole and show some polar bear mother standing up and receiving the thrusts of a dozen lances, while her little cub waddles off in safety across the ice.

You stir the heart with that story, not because you tell so well about the bear or the cub, or the steel-colored ice reflecting the colors of the sun, **BUT BECAUSE YOU EXPRESS THE LOVE OF CHILDREN THAT IS IN THE HEART OF THE HUMAN BEING THAT READS WHAT YOU SAY.**

You can write your stories about the great and the powerful, and **you** can go down with Victor Hugo into the sewer and place your hero **there.** It doesn't matter. Success will come if you express the thought **and** emotion in the hearts of men. Without that you will never have

FI[illegible]**pie want to know what they think and what they feel and what TELL THEM.**

NEVER AGAIN!

By T. E. Powers

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WANT TO BUY A CORAL NECKLACE, ONLY $5?
SURE I'LL TAKE IT
HERE'S A SURPRISE FOR YOU DEAR
OH HOW LOVELY! I'LL HAVE TO GET A GREY DRESS TO WEAR WITH THIS, CORAL LOOKS WELL WITH GREY
DEARIE CAN'T YOU LET ME HAVE $50 FOR A NEW HAT TO WEAR WITH MY CORAL NECKLACE?
HELP
TAKE A STEAM BAT
DOESN'T THE CORAL NECKLACE LOOK FINE! IF I ONLY HAD A MINK BOA
POLICE
HURRY OR YOU MISS THE TRAIN
WHY DIDN'T YOU ORDER A CARRIAGE? I CAN'T WALK OUT ON THE STREET LOOKING LIKE THIS
WANT TO BUY A GOLD BRACELET CHEAP?
NEVER AGAIN
T. E. POWERS

College Training for Boys

By Elbert Hubbard

If there were only a Science of Education we would run the boys through the mill, and the trick would be done. If education were a science, we could take so much boy and so much curriculum and produce so much truth and competence.

Alas! for our theories, most of the men who built up and manage our great business enterprises were untaught, country lads.

Very many of the strong men in all of our great cities—the men at the head of factories and banks—were boys who never had the advantage of college training.

Not only is this true of the so-called "practical men," but many of the foremost names in literature, science and art are those of men who never had any "advantages."

It is equally true that a great number of college graduates have gone to the front, but, on the other hand, a college degree is no adequate verification of competence. And just so long as some men who are not college bred take first places on the roster of fame, and some men who are college bred sink out of sight, most thinking men will admit that there is no such thing as a Science of Education.

And of the college men who succeed, who shall say whether they succeeded by and through the help the college gave, or in spite of it?

Yet many men who win often wail, "If I only had the advantage of college training!" If so, it might have ironed all the individuality out of them.

And yet I would have every man have a college education, in order that he might see how little the thing is really worth. And I would have every man rich, that he might know the worthlessness of riches.

Absurd Proposition

To take a young man from work, say, at eighteen years of age, and keep him from useful labor (in the name of education) for four years, will **some** day be regarded as a most absurd proposition. It is the most gigantic illusion of the age. Set in motion by the priests and preachers, the idea was that the young person should be drilled and versed in "sacred" themes.

Hence the dead languages and the fixed thought that education should be esoteric. The only persons at first receiving education were the ones intended for the church.

This separation from the practical world for a number of years, **where** work of no account was **done and the** whole attention fixed on the abstract themes and theories, often tended to cripple the man so that he could never go back to the world of work and usefulness. He was no longer a producer and had to be supported by tithes and taxes.

And, of course, as he did not intend to go back to the world of work and usefulness, it really didn't make any difference if he did sink into a pupa-like condition of nullity.

In the smaller colleges, especially in the West, many instances are found of students working their way through school. My experience has led me to believe that such students stand a very much better chance in the world's race than those who are made exempt from practical affairs by having everything provided. The responsibility of caring for himself is a necessary factor in a man's evolution that must not be too long delayed.

And the point of this preachment lies here: That to make a young man exempt from the practical world from sixteen to twenty-one, is to run the risk of ruining him for life. Possibly you have taken opportunity from him and turned him into a mnemonic machine.

Should Be Real Life

There are people who are always talking about preparing for life, and preparing for eternity, and preparing to meet God. We are living in Eternity now as much as we ever shall, and the only way to meet God is to have His spirit in our hearts. God is not away off there—He is here, and every day is Judgment Day.

A school should not be a preparation for life—A SCHOOL SHOULD BE LIFE. There will never be a science of pedagogy so long as you take the pupil from his work in order to educate him. Isolation from the world, in order to prepare for the world's work, is folly. You might as well take a boy out of the blacksmith shop in order to teach him blacksmithing.

College is a make-believe, and every college student knows it. From the age of fourteen and upward the pupil should feel that he is doing something useful—not merely killing time. And so his work and his instruction ought to go right along hand in hand.

And this sort of education is given out, in degree, in Purdue University, in the schools of technology, the various agricultural colleges, the Ferris Institute, by that strong and useful man, Beardsheer, of Iowa, and that other **equally great** man, Booker T. Washington, **and** by various other excellent men and women scattered here and there.

Yet we will not approximate the perfect college until we have an institution where a boy can go and earn his own livelihood, and where he will not be humiliated by the operation.

Then students will be paid for their work, and in turn they will pay for certain advantages; and thus the idea of mutuality, reciprocity and economy of time and money be fostered and encouraged.

But a little while ago and men were **educated** only that they might belong to one of the three so-called "learned professions." But we discovered yesterday that the "learned professions" are a good deal of a humbug—a truth that the best members of the professions are now quite willing to admit.

The best lesson in life is the lesson of Self-Reliance, and the college that inculcates this best will approach the **ideal.**

THE GIMLET CLUB

Can You Say It Three Times Quickly?

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YOUNG MAN—DO YOU KNOW YOU'RE RUINING YOUR HEALTH WITH THAT VILE TOBACCO?
AND NOT ONLY THAT—IT'S CRIMINAL TO WASTE YOUR MONEY THAT WAY—
NOW YOU PROBABLY SMOKE FIVE CIGARS A DAY AT—MAYBE TEN CENTS EACH—
DO YOU KNOW THAT IF YOU SAVE THAT MONEY FOR A YEAR YOU WILL HAVE—
YOUNG, I ELECTED A MEMBER OF THE GIMLET CLUB. MORE, I MADE BROTHER BURKE!

THE HALL-ROOM BOYS

Lady Constance Gets On to Their Borrowed Raiment

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GEE! AREN'T THEY CLASSY! JUST GET THEM FROM LONDON! SAY OLD MAN, LEND ME ONE TO WEAR TO-NIGHT AT THE G. WHATAWAD'S HOUSE-WARMING PARTY? YOU'RE NOT GOING ARE YOU?
NOPE! SORRY, BUT I'VE ANOTHER ENGAGEMENT ON. GO AHEAD—HELP YOURSELVES TO ANY OF THEM.
1
WHY BROTHER, I THOUGHT YOU ORDERED G WAISTCOATS FROM LONDON WHERE ARE THE OTHER 2?
OH! I LENT THEM TO THE HALL ROOM BOYS, THEY WANTED TO WEAR THEM TO G. WHATAWADS HOUSE-WARMING.
2
HELLO MISS MILLIONBUCKS. GOING TO THE G. WHATAWAD AFFAIR TO-NIGHT OF COURSE
OH YES, WE'LL BE THERE
OF YOU WEREN'T GOING TO BE THERE, IT WOULDN'T BE A BIT ENJOYABLE
3
WHAT LOVELY WAISTCOATS YOU BOYS ARE WEARING TO-NIGHT
TEE-HEE
DO YOU REALLY LIKE THEM MISS ETHEL?
YES, WE JUST RECEIVED THEM—A HALF DOZEN—FROM LONDON THE OTHER DAY. KING EDDIE WEARS ONE JUST LIKE MINE.
OH MY!
4
OH—HERE'S LADY CONSTANCE. WE'RE DISCUSSING MEN'S STILES. COME JOIN US. THE BOYS RECEIVED A HALF DOZEN WAISTCOATS FROM LONDON AND JUST THINK PERCY SAYS KING EDWARD WEARS ONE SIMILAR TO THE WAISTCOAT HE HAS ON.
OH—INDEED? BY THE WAY ETHEL HAVE YOU SEEN MR. G. WHATAWAD?
5
MR. HALL-ROOM, I'M AFRAID MY BROTHER WON'T CARE TO LEND YOU HIS WAISTCOATS AGAIN WHEN HE SEES THOSE COFFEE STAINS, AND I ALSO MIGHT SUGGEST THAT YOUR BROTHER REFRAIN FROM HIS CIGARETTE ASHES IN THE TRAY INSTEAD OF LETTING THEM FALL ON THE WAISTCOAT HE IS WEARING.
6